

## Obituaries

**BOMBAY, India (AP)—Dr. Philip W. White, 66, noted American physiologist who pioneered in tissue culture and cancer research, died Monday.** White, who was on a lecture tour of Indian universities, was stricken with hepatitis and a stroke several days ago.

**ESSEX FELLS, N.J. (AP)—Martin F. Tiernan, 85, a leading industrialist who was a pioneer in the chlorination process of purifying water, died Sunday.** Tiernan was a former president and chairman of Wallace & Tiernan Inc., of Belleville, N.J.

## OFFICERS SAY From (Page 1)

would not favor what is called the enclave strategy. I think that is tantamount to certain defeat."

Johnson commented in the April issue of Army Digest magazine, Chapman in an Associated Press interview.

Johnson, discussing war strategy, said U.S. efforts must continue to center on driving the enemy's larger military formations away from South Vietnam's population.

"Any change in emphasis away from search-and-destroy operations would free the enemy to operate with relative impunity around and between the peripheries of our enclaves," the four-star Army general asserted.

"In short," he said, "a withdrawal to an enclave strategy would simply give enemy main force units a license to hunt when and where they choose."

Some civilian leaders are portrayed as believing the United States would suffer fewer casualties by conducting fewer countryside search patrols or by avoiding static defensive positions in border areas where enemy forces are close to supply caches.

But military officers argue that giving up search-and-destroy tactics would surrender to the enemy the initiative—as well as vast areas of South Vietnamese territory—without a battle.

It is generally assumed that the administration's current evaluation of Vietnam policy includes a new look at military strategy and the manpower required to execute it.

## Official at Colony Is Dismissed

**LITTLE ROCK (AP)—W. H. "Bill" Sanson, assistant superintendent and director of personnel at the Arkansas Childrens Colony at Conway since 1965, has been dismissed.**

Nils Florentz, chairman of the board, said today the action was decided at a board meeting over the weekend.

"Time is upon us when we need an assistant superintendent and director of personnel . . . with educational training and experience in the field of mental retardation and these are qualifications which Sanson does not have," Florentz said.

## Cubans Need Rain Badly

**MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—**Cuban scientists hope to bring rain to sugar cane fields with the help of a device called a meteoron. Havana radio, monitored in Miami, said the newly created Cuban Department of Physics of the Clouds is working on this.

Its director, Capt. Rafael San Roman, was quoted as forecasting rain in April in eastern Cuba growing areas.

By that time, the broadcast said, scientists will have completed experiments and will spray clouds and line them up into rain-producing formations. The meteoron was not described.

## Increase in Troops Is Opposed

**WASHINGTON (AP)—**Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield, of Montana, said today he opposes any increase in U.S. troop strength in Vietnam.

Mansfield told the Senate he wants "to make my position and my feelings known before rather than after a decision will be reached."

"It is my firm belief that any increase above the announced and assigned level should not be put into effect," he said in a speech.

Mansfield has been among Senate critics of the Vietnam war who have called on the Johnson administration to seek congressional approval of any proposed increase beyond the 525,000 ceiling now authorized.

Mansfield took note of reports that the administration is considering requests by U.S. commanders for up to 206,000 troops.

There have been later reports that another 35,000 or so might be authorized.

## Inmate Charged With Murder

**PINE BLUFF, Ark. (AP)—**Ernest Johnson, 23, a Cummins Prison Farm inmate, has been charged with second-degree murder in connection with the stabbing death Saturday of Dan Watkins, 28.

Watkins, of Hamburg, was stabbed with a pocket knife in the Cummins barracks. He was serving a one-year sentence from Jefferson County for assault with intent to kill. Prosecutor Joe Holmes of Pine Bluff filed the charge against Johnson Monday. Johnson, of Little Rock, is serving a three-year sentence from Pulaski County for burglary and grand larceny.

## Hulsey Named to G&F Board

**LITTLE ROCK (AP)—**State Game and Fish Commission Director Hugh Hackler appointed Andrew H. Hulsey, 44, of Lonoke assistant commission director Monday.

Hulsey was chief of the fisheries division of the commission. The legislature created the \$9,400-a-year position last year.

## Weather

Experiment station report for 24 hours ending at 7 a.m. Tuesday, High 71, Low 43.

Forecast

ARKANSAS—Fair and a little warmer tonight. Partly cloudy and warm Wednesday with a chance of afternoon showers mainly west. Low to night in the 50s.

## Weather Elsewhere

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

	High	Low
Albany, clear	44	24
Albuquerque, clear	71	41
Atlanta, clear	64	40
Bismarck, cloudy	60	28
Boise, cloudy	56	37
Boston, clear	48	31
Buffalo, cloudy	51	38
Chicago, clear	67	47
Cincinnati, cloudy	53	40
Cleveland, clear	51	40
Denver, clear	66	37
Des Moines, clear	73	35
Detroit, cloudy	45	38
Fairbanks, cloudy	37	8
Fort Worth, cloudy	72	54
Halena, cloudy	59	35
Honolulu, cloudy	83	72
Indianapolis, cloudy	61	43
Jacksonville, clear	72	44
Juneau, cloudy	37	30
Kansas City, clear	73	51
Los Angeles, clear	73	55
Louisville, clear	55	35
Memphis, clear	62	47
Miami, cloudy	73	66
Milwaukee, cloudy	65	46
Mpls.-St. P., clear	70	35
New Orleans, clear	62	33
New York, cloudy	53	38
Oklahoma City, cloudy	72	49
Omaha, clear	74	45
Philadelphia, cloudy	52	33
Phoenix, clear	77	44
Pittsburgh, cloudy	55	38
Ptmd, Me., cloudy	45	27
Ptmd, Ore., cloudy	52	43
Rapid City, cloudy	64	34
Richmond, clear	61	35
St. Louis, clear	74	52
Salt Lk. City, cloudy	69	34
San Diego, cloudy	70	55
San Fran., clear	59	52
Seattle, cloudy	52	43
Tampa, clear	73	58
Washington, clear	59	39
Winnipeg, clear	49	27

## Fair, Warm With Chance of Showers

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
A continuation of fair skies and warm temperatures is forecast for Arkansas along with some scattered showers in West Arkansas by Wednesday afternoon.

The only potential weather-maker for the state is a Pacific cold front that is moving eastward out of the Rockies.

This front will trigger the showers as it moves through the state.

Slightly cooler and drier air should spread over the state once the front passes through by Thursday night or Friday.

High temperatures Monday ranged from 75 at Fort Smith to 82 at Memphis. Overnight lows ranged from 34 at Morrilton to 51 at Texarkana.

## Mansfield Supporting Amendment

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield, of Montana, said today he is leaning toward supporting a pending amendment that would combine President Johnson's 10 per cent income tax increase proposal with sharp spending cuts.

"Something has to be done to bolster the financial situation this country finds itself in," Mansfield told newsmen.

"We have to face up to our responsibilities as best we know how," he added.

Mansfield said he did not know whether the White House—or the House of Representatives—would accept the Senate amendment.

Sen. George A. Smathers, D-Fla., and Sen. John J. Williams, R-Del., are seeking to tie the amendment to a House-passed bill on excise taxes.

## Declares Some Facts Distorted

**LITTLE ROCK (AP)—**Jimmy Woodard, the director of the Arkansas Department of Aeronautics, said Monday that many of the facts in an article in a Republican party newspaper were true but that facts had been withheld "that distorted the true facts."

"This is simply a political issue," Woodard said at a news conference. "They have been trying to remove me from my office and it simply boils down to the fact that I am a Democrat and not a Republican."

The newspaper, the Arkansas Outlook, charged that the department paid \$1,000-a-month rental fee for a Piper twin Comanche airplane between last July and February. The newspaper said the rent per operational hour was \$83 since the plane flew only 125 hours during that period.

The Outlook said it cost \$32.50 an hour to rent a similar aircraft at the North Little Rock airport. Airport officials, however, said last week that it would cost more than \$50 an hour to rent the plane.

Woodard said G. Thomas Elsie and Marion Burton, aides to Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller, approved the rental arrangement last June.

The Outlook said the plane could be purchased for \$20,000 but that the rental fee would be \$36,000 over a three-year period. The newspaper said it obtained the figure from a bluebook price guide published monthly.

## Girl Scouts Sell Those Cookies



## CONG ATTACK From (Page 1)

and its outposts.

Trang Bang is the biggest district town between Saigon and the Cambodian border to the west. It sits along Route 1, the national highway leading from Saigon to the border and is a commercial center for traffic to Cambodia.

The fighting was the biggest single action of the Quyet Thang—Resolved to Win—offensive launched 16 days ago. The Viet Cong toll raised to 2,008 the total number of enemy troops reported killed.

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## Calendar of Events

### TUESDAY, MARCH 26

The Cosmopolitan Club will meet in the home of Mrs. R. L. Branch Tuesday night, March 26 at 7:45.

The Jett B. Graves Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church will have a Potluck Party Tuesday, March 26, at 7 p.m. The hostesses are Mrs. Evelyn Burke, Mrs. Jewell Burke, Mrs. Herbert Griffin, Mrs. W. E. Wilson and Mrs. Helga Ames.

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27

The Hope Junior Auxiliary will present the Nicolai Marionettes in "Hansel and Gretel" Wednesday, March 27 with performances at 10:30 a.m. and at Hopewell at 2 p.m. Admission is 25 cents.

The Fidelis Class of the First Methodist Church will have a class party Wednesday, March 27 at 7 p.m. in the home of Mrs. James Hoyt Burke at DeAnn.

The Mary-Martha Class of the First Methodist Church will have a party Wednesday, March 27 at 8:30 p.m. in the Fellowship room of the church. Smoked turkey will be furnished by the hostesses. All members are asked to bring a vegetable, salad or dessert. Also, members are asked to dress casual.

### THURSDAY, MARCH 28

The Monthly Ladies Bridge Luncheon will be held at the Hope Country Club at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, March 28. The meal will be potluck, and hostesses will be Mrs. Lex Helms, Jr., Mrs. Thomas Hays, and Mrs. J. B. Martin.

### FRIDAY, MARCH 29

The Friday Music Club will meet at 3:45 p.m. Friday, March 29 in the home of Mrs. Sam W. Strong, Jr., with Mrs. Charles Reynerson and Mrs. James McLarty, co-hostesses. Please note the change of date for the meeting.

### INFORMAL DANCE AT COUNTRY CLUB

The Hope Country Club ushered in spring with an informal dance Saturday, March 23. A maroon and white floral arrangement was seen on the mantle, and throughout the evening music was provided by a Klipschorn. Yellow mums centered the table where chips 'n' dips and other snacks were made available to the 30 couples attending the entertainment. An out-of-town guest was Mrs. Orland Swope, Jr. of Little Rock.

Serving as hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Mitch LaGrone, Ralph Emerson, E. P. Young, Jr., and Vincent Foster.

### Coming, Going

Mr. and Mrs. James Paul Vinson, Jimmy and Johnny, Little Rock, are visiting the Everett Vinsons for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Harmon went to Ft. Worth this last week-

end to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harmon.

Mrs. Bruce Gottwald and three sons have returned to their home in Richmond, Va., after a spring visit with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hays and other relatives.

Mrs. L. F. Higginson left Shreveport by jet on Tuesday to visit Dr. and Mrs. Johnny Patton and family in Atlanta, Ga., and to meet her new great-granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Russell and Charles and Mr. and Mrs. John Goss, all of Dallas, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harrell and Mrs. Lois Russell.



## Rebels in School

Long hair on boys and short skirts on girls are putting worried looks on school officials. In most cases there is enough "give" on each side to let the younger and the older generations get on with the business of schooling.

But occasionally there is a real deadlock, and the issue is taken to court. Who wins there? Legally, how much authority does a school have in regulating the personal appearance of its students?

Two principles are basic: 1) The school may impose any rule that is reasonably related to the educational process. For example, a school regulation against the wearing of metal headpieces was upheld in court because it reduced clutter in the halls, as well as damage to the hardwood floors.

2) The school may not impose any rule that is arbitrary and unreasonable. Thus, a rule requiring high school seniors to wear freshly fumigated caps-and-gowns at graduation was held unlawful, when applied to a girl who was sickened by the odor.

But while these basic principles are clear enough, it may still be difficult in a specific case to fix the dividing line between right and wrong use of school authority.

Consider two recent cases involving the wearing of political buttons. In each case, school officials banned the buttons. In each case, the ban was challenged in court as an infringement of freedom of speech.

Results? In the first case, the court upheld the ban. In this school, button wearers had tried to force buttons upon other students and had caused assorted kinds of disruption in the classrooms.

In the second case, the court threw out the ban. In this school, students had worn the buttons peacefully, not causing any kind of disturbance. Nor was there any evidence of trouble in the offing.

It may seem strange that these two cases, reaching opposite results, were not only decided by the same court but even involved similar buttons. Yet the court found, in differing circumstances at these two particular schools, enough basis for drawing a distinction.

Such distinctions, giving fair weight to conflicting viewpoints, are what the law is made of. They are also, to a considerable degree, what education is made of.

## Engagement Announced



GILDA FAYE HINES

Miss Gilda Faye Hines' engagement and approaching marriage to Danny Scott Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cox of Prescott is made known by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hines.

Miss Hines will be a graduate of Prescott High School this spring. She was the 1967-68 Drum Major of the Prescott High School Marching Band and is the former Curley Wolves Homecoming Queen.

Her fiancé is a former graduate of Prescott High School and is now employed by Day and Zimmermann of Texarkana.

Wedding vows will be exchanged at 7:30 p.m. June 7 in the Prescott First Baptist Church.



## HELEN HELP US!

by Helen Bottel

### YOUTH ASKED FOR IT!

This column is for young people, their problems and pleasures, their troubles and fun. As with the rest of Helen Help US! it welcomes laughs but won't dodge a serious question with a brush-off.

Send your teenage questions to YOUTH ASKED FOR IT, care of Helen Help US! this newspaper.

### ASK A STUPID QUESTION

Dear Helen: There are so many things I want to know but I don't want to sound ignorant or dumb. When you go to ask your mother one of these stupid questions, how do you say it so she won't laugh?—NUNNY

Dear Nin: Any mother who laughs at her child's serious (NOT dumb) questions should be stripped of her parent stripes! I'm sure your mother won't—and to make doubly sure, set the tone with, "Hey, Mom, I've got a very stupid question. . . ." which right away alerts her to your embarrassment and need

for help. Try it! You'll be amazed how fast she reassures you, and how closely she listens. —H.

Dear Helen: Why is it that boys like a good shape better than a pretty face?—WONDERING

Dear Won: Perhaps because there's more of it.—H.

Dear Helen: This is an answer for "Miserable" and anyone else who is a foster child and thinks she (or he) is getting a rough deal.

I, too, am a girl of 17 and have been a foster child for eight years because of parent troubles I won't mention. The world was really rough. Everyone looked down on me; no one like me. At least that's what I thought as I made the rounds of temporary homes.

But a year and a half ago all that changed. My foster parents are the greatest. Sure I have a curfew and rules. But that shows they care. I call them Mom and Dad because I love them.

Maybe "Miserable" is as lucky as I am and doesn't know it. I've discovered, through my foster parents, that it's a person's attitude that determines his success and friends—not his "attitude" on the social ladder. Well, now I've got lots of friends. I'm earning college credits while still in high school. I know I'm really worth something. Most important of all, I'M HAPPY.

Dear Helen: This is to "Miserable Welfare Kid." If she only knew how much little things like being called "Mom" and "Dad" and say "Goodnight" and "Goodbye" meant to us foster parents! Also taking us into her confidence and telling us her problems.

In some states the allotment is so little that really our only reward is in the product we can turn out—that is, making a miserable kid into a happy purposeful child.—FOSTER MOM

Dear Helen: I am nearly 19 and in college. Am dating a girl who is kind, generous, thoughtful, fine in every way, and almost everyone agrees except my two uncles. They only see that she is Italian and Catholic. They take out their prejudice in unfunny race and religion jokes that they hope will turn me against her through ridicule.

I can't shut them up. My parents don't live here, and so they can't help. I don't want to cause a break in the family. What can I do?—IN LOVE AND HURT

Dear ILAH: Practice selective deafness. Prejudice disguised as humor can be stopped cold if nobody laughs.—H.

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## WIN AT BRIDGE

### Point Count Not Absolute

By Oswald and James Jacoby

NORTH		28
♠ A Q 7 3		
♥ 10 5 4 2		
♦ 8 3		
♣ K 6 3		
WEST		EAST
♠ J 9 8 5		♠ 6 2
♥ Q 8		♥ J 7
♦ 9 7 6 5 2		♦ A 10 4
♣ 10 4		♣ A Q J 9 7 2
SOUTH (D)		
♠ K 10 4		
♥ A K 9 6 3		
♦ K Q J		
♣ 8 5		
North-South vulnerable		
West	North	East
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass		Pass
Opening lead—♠ 10		

In "Alice in Wonderland," Humpty Dumpty gives a dissertation on the use of words and says, "When you use a word, make sure that you let it know that you are its master." We can say the same thing about point count. Use it, but make sure that you are master and it is your servant.

North was one of those players who treated point count as master rather than servant. He had no problem when his partner went to three hearts. After all, he had nine high card points plus one point for the doubleton diamond. Ten points was a maximum raise, so the four heart bid was automatic.

So was the one trick set. West held the first trick with 10 of clubs. East won the second club lead and cashed his ace of diamonds. West played the deuce of diamonds to show no interest in a diamond continuation, so East led a third club and West's queen of hearts became the setting trick.

South suggested that North should have marked his king of clubs down from three points to no points and passed three hearts. South was right as a man could possibly be, but this made no impression on North. He stood by his 10 points and claimed that South's three heart bid was the sole cause of the minus score. He proceeded one step further and pointed out that if South had passed over three clubs, he, North, could have doubled and set East three tricks.

We hate to have to agree with this North in any respect, but we must admit that his analysis was partially correct. East would have gone down three tricks at three clubs, but we doubt if North would have found a double. In any event, South was fully justified in going to three hearts. Some optimists might even have jumped to four with his hand.

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

## ♥+CARD Sense♦♦

Q—The bidding has been:

West North East South

Pass 2 N.T. Pass ?

You, South, hold:

♠ A K Q J 9 7 6 ♥ A K 5 2 ♦ 7 4 4

What do you do now?

A—Bid four spades. You are willing to gamble this out even if your partner has a bust. You also have lost interest in a slam.

### TODAY'S QUESTION

Instead of bidding two no-trump, your partner bids three clubs. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

### THEATER SHIFTS TO FILMS

NEW YORK (AP)—After a single play production, the off-Broadway Evergreen Theater is being shifted to a movies-only schedule. The 162-seat auditorium was acquired last year by Barney Rosset, president of Grove Press, and the first presentation was "The Beard," a controversial two-character play that closed with a deficit after 100 performances.

Besides new films, the house intends to schedule material acquired in Grove purchase of Cinema 16's collection of experimental shorts.

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## 'The Great Mating Game' And 3rd Annual 'Miss Teen International Pageant' Are TV Highlights

A special that covers the full gamut of love and marriage today and a telecast of 1968's crop of young beauties will highlight television viewing on the ABC-TV network early in April. Both are sponsored by Clairol, Inc.

"The Great Mating Game," to be telecast on ABC on Monday evening, April 8, (9:30 to 10:00 p.m. EST) documents how mating has changed since Adam courted Eve.

Today's "singles" get together in ways which their parents would have considered startling and their grandparents might have called downright shocking. And what they do when they get together—also represents a radical change from the past.

"The Great Mating Game" delves into the "for singles only" apartment houses, "Over 28" dances, discotheques, senior citizens clubs, ski resort weekends and computer dating. The show also points out that telling the girls where the boys are and vice versa has become a billion dollar business in the U.S. Figuring out ways of removing singles from the open market is virtually a new industry.

The second Clairol special to be telecast that week, the third annual "Miss Teen International Pageant" will be seen over the ABC television network on Saturday evening, April 13, (9:30 to 10:30 p.m. EST).

Eleven foreign contestants and one from the United States will vie for the title "Miss Teen International." The finalists from abroad will include girls from Australia, Canada, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Norway, the Philippines, Spain, Sweden and Switzerland. Girls from Australia, Israel, Spain and the Philippines will be competing in the contest for the first time.

The United States entrant will be selected from among eleven regional winners who will compete for the Miss Teen United States title the week preceding the ABC telecast, which will originate from the Hollywood Palace. One of the highlights of this year's "Miss Teen International Pageant" will be film clips of the foreign contestants' "Landmark Tour" of the U.S., visiting various shrines and sites that are landmarks in America's heritage.

The eleven U.S. regional winners, who automatically become finalists for the "Miss Teen United States" title and semi-finalists for Miss Teen International include: Miss Teen Great Lakes, Pamela Martin, 18, Birmingham, Miss Teen South-west, Charlene Kay Anderson, 18, Phoenix, Ariz.; Miss Teen Rocky Mountain State, Leslie Hobson, 18, Morrison, Colo.; Miss Teen Gulf States, Kandy Kay Wright, 17, Houston, Tex.; Miss Teen Northern California, Sharon Anne Coleman, 15, Marysville, Calif.; Miss Teen Pacific Coast, Diane Marie Estrada, 17, San Francisco, Calif.; Miss Teen Midwest, Linda



Finalists for the "1968 Miss Teen International" Pageant with last year's winner (center) Alice Altheim. They are, clockwise from Australia, Janette McLeod, from Sweden, Marie-Sophie Persson, from Italy, Elena Pedamonte, and from Japan, Sachiko Yamanaka. The Clairol special will be telecast on ABC-TV, April 13th, 9:30-10:30 p.m., E.S.T.

## Television and Radio

NEW YORK (AP)—Transition of "Kiss Me, Kate" from stage to television did not help the plot much, but Cole Porter's witty lyrics and catchy tunes have stood up well over the years.

The 90-minute adaptation was presented Monday night on ABC, and was an eye-drawing treat, with stunning sets and gay, colorful costumes.

The problem for television was the play-within-a-play device, moving back and forth between musical comedy and Shakespeare.

Robert Goulet in hose and doublet and wearing crepe mustaches and Van Dyke beard, swashbuckled around in his character of suitor and in one out-of-place flashback made a valiant effort at some broad comedy. As usual, he seemed most comfortable when he was singing.

Carol Lawrence, in her dual role of divorced wife of the star and Kate of the inner play, sang nicely and danced beautifully. While she played out the shrew

scenes enthusiastically, she was not particularly convincing.

Michael Callan, costar of last season's "Occasional Wife" series, revealed some impressive song-and-dance talents when he was teamed with Jessica Walter as the second pair of star-crossed lovers. As a matter of fact, one of the disappointments of the show was the scarcity of dance numbers when there were dancers of the stature of Miss Lawrence and Callan around.

Miss Walter, as the funny naive gold digger, had the meanest woman's part in the show and two of the most amusing songs. She gave it an innocent, girl-next-door reading and failed to make the most of it.

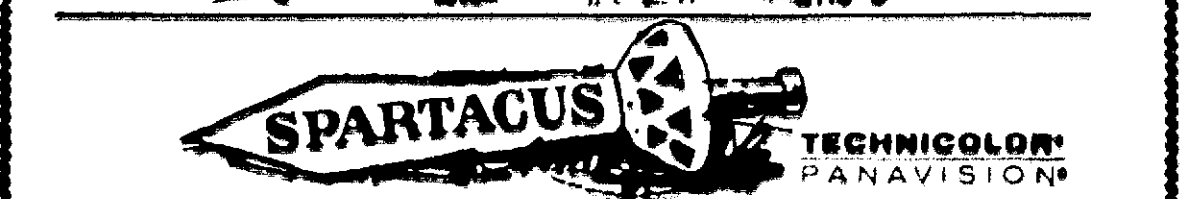
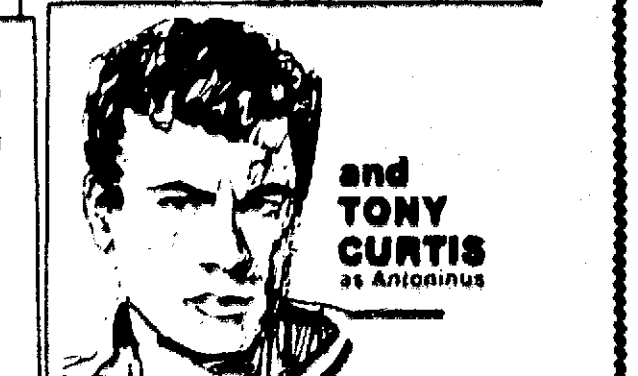
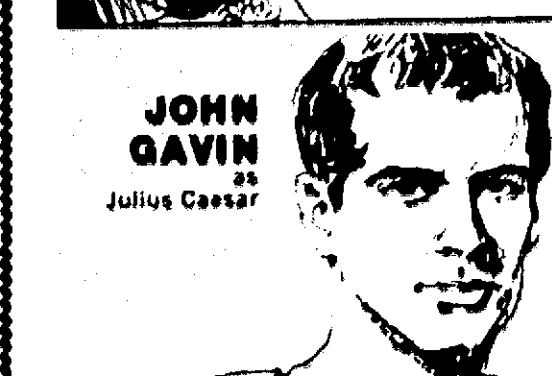
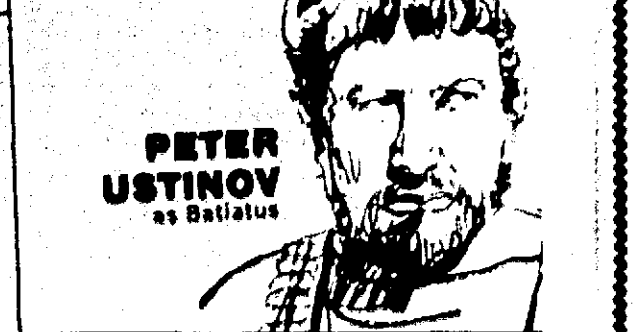
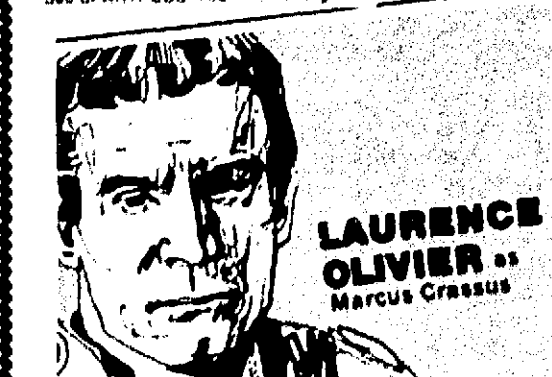
Marty Ingels and Jules Munshin were cast as a pair of fumbling comedy gangsters, an odd device, and not particularly amusing.

Contemporary touches were injected in the 20-year-old book. Russell Nye was cast as an actor turned politician, and Goulet occasionally dropped some modern slang—he advised someone to keep his cool—Nye of these helped speed up the story's progress.

The "Tony" awards show, on NBC April 21, will honor the 1967-68 season's outstanding Broadway shows and performers and will present samples from four hits.

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# Coalition Group Seeks Candidate

By JACK BELL  
AP Political Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The fledgling National Coalition for a Republican Alternative hopes to bring to the surface one of what its top organizer calls an "invisible quartet" of potential presidential candidates.

The new organization of moderate Republicans, whipped together in 48 hours over last weekend, has pushed its contacts into 25 states. But it is operating without a candidate.

And it is under express orders from its chief sponsor, Sen. Thurston B. Morton, R-Ky., not to get itself tagged as a "anti" movement against former Vice President Richard M. Nixon.

However, Nixon's name was not among those listed by Duff Reed, Morton's aid and chief organizer, as making up the "invisible quartet."

Reed said in an interview the group hopes to wind up with a candidate in either Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller of New York, Mayor John V. Lindsay of New York City, Sen. Charles H. Percy of Illinois or Sen. Mark O. Hatfield of Oregon—not necessarily in that order.

All these are noncandidates at this point, although Percy is in line to become Illinois' favorite son.

Reed said the coalition already has sufficient pledges of financial and political support to keep expanding its operations up to the time of the Republican National Convention in Miami, Fla., in August.

He said some of the politicians who back the organization's objectives of getting a candidate and a platform moderates can support will have to remain underground because they are personally involved in the choice of convention delegates.

Senate Republican Leader Everett M. Dirksen told an informal news conference Monday he is puzzled about the coalition's objectives. He indicated he doesn't think the group can surface a candidate, although he made it clear he doesn't think Nixon has the nomination locked up at this point.

Asked about Rockefeller, who has said he is not an active candidate but would accept a draft, Dirksen said that "breathing life into a potential candidate who started out with vigorous support of another candidate, belatedly came into the picture himself and then bowed out, presents a problem to get any steam up for him again."

But the Illinois senator, observing it's nearly five months until the convention, noted it didn't take that long for Wendell L. Willkie to come from political nowhere to win the GOP nomination in 1940.

Gov. Spiro T. Agnew of Maryland, who had strongly urged Rockefeller to get into the race dashed cold water on the coalition's efforts.

Although saying he still believed Rockefeller was the man best qualified to be the GOP nominee, Agnew asserted Monday night that he didn't intend to support the coalition or "any organization which accentuates ideological divisions within the Republican Party."

# Lions Hold Luncheon



— Frank King photo with Star camera  
JACK MCLENDON

# Virginia Negro Sheriff Is Suicide

CHARLES CITY, Va. (AP) — Virginia's only Negro sheriff, James N. Brady, was found dead in his car Monday. A medical examiner said it was suicide.

Brady, 38, was slumped over the steering wheel of the car. A hose was rigged through a taped-shut window vent from the exhaust pipe.

He had started a political career last fall by ousting Charles City Sheriff M. D. Lampkin, a Democrat, who had held the post for 43 years.

Brady became a symbol to members of his race of their increasing political strength in the South.

"There was no indication of foul play," said Commonwealth Atty. J. Madison Macon Jr., who investigated the death.

He said Brady was having no trouble with his job as sheriff, which he had held since the first of the year, but had been depressed during the past several days.

"He took on the problems of the people he had to deal with, and worried about them," Macon said. "I don't think he had any enemies."

He said the sheriff was well-liked by both whites and Negroes in Charles City County.

# Virginia Negro Sheriff Is Suicide

Talltwater Jack McLendon was in charge of the regular Monday-noon luncheon of the Lions Club at Town & Country.

A bedroom suite was sold at what seemed a real bargain until it turned out to be a bedroom suit of men's pajamas. Talltwisters traditionally spark the meetings and this one was no exception.

Lion Bill Gunter gave inform on the International Convention to be held in Dallas. He outlined reservation costs the possibility of a charter bus. He also presented the following nominees for club officers:

For president, Bill Cross; vice-president, Harry Cagle and Jim Gunter; secretary Don Abbott; treasurer, Paul Rawson; Talltwisters, Randall Lester, Jim Argo and Roy Chatham; liontamer, Elmer Wagoner and directors, David Brown, Don Freel, Howard Hopkins, Bob Morton, W. L. Tate and Hubert Thrash. The vote is set for next week.

President Ralph Harrison reported the club was well ahead in the district governor's contest at the present.

# Battleship Returns to Duty

By AL EDMONDS  
Associated Press Writer

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The battleship USS New Jersey sails today in the second phase of a comeback that will lead eventually to Vietnam duty.

Tugs stood by at Philadelphia Naval Shipyard to nudge the 45,000-ton battleship—nearly as long as three football fields—down to the mouth of the Delaware River where she will proceed out into the Atlantic under her own steam for three days of sea trials. The ship has been in the mothball fleet for more than 10 years.

After the trials, the New Jersey will steam back to Philadelphia where she will be recommissioned April 6. Then the battleship will put out to sea again to test fire her nine 16-inch guns.

The New Jersey will proceed to the Gulf of Tonkin, probably in early fall, where she will go on station to hurl 2,700-pound projectiles at North Vietnam's coastal cities and defenses.

The Navy believes the New Jersey's destructive guns will help ease the burgeoning loss in men and aircraft in bombing missions over North Vietnam. That was the main argument of Navy brass who campaigned for the recommissioning.

Two purposes will be served by the three days of trials.

Capt. J. Edward Snyder, who served during World War II as a gunnery officer aboard the now scrapped USS Pennsylvania, his



— Hope High photo  
MACK McLARTY

With the annual Student Council elections coming up at Hope High, Mack McLarty, a graduate of the local school and president of the student body at the University of Arkansas, was guest speaker at Monday's assembly meet.

Mr. McLarty and senior members of the council outlined and explained duties of offices that will be open for election this week.

# Withdrawal Requested in Panama

PANAMA (AP) — The National Assembly asked the National Guard, backing deposed President Marco A. Robles, to withdraw from around the legislative palace today so it can get to work with the new president it installed.

A spokesman for the 4,000-man guard, the country's only military force, said the request from Assembly President Carlos Agustin Arias was under study. But it was learned that the guard has notified Max Delvalle, sworn in as president Sunday, that he is not authorized to enter the assembly hall.

U.S. Ambassador Charles W. Adair Jr., meanwhile, was informally in touch with Ricardo Arias, named foreign minister in the eight-man Delvalle Cabinet. The United States was caught up in the thorny problem of whether to recognize Delvalle.

In impeachment proceedings

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Sunday, Robles was convicted by a 30-0 vote, with 12 minority assemblymen abstaining, on charges that he was promoting his finance minister, Davki Samudio, to succeed him in the May presidential elections. The opposition claimed such support violates constitutional law but Robles countered that the law does not prohibit him from merely expressing a preference.

Behind this was the opposition's low regard for Samudio, whose tax reforms have offended Panama's wealthy elite. The opposition National Union, a five-party coalition, is backing former President Arnulfo Arias in the elections.

The guard has said it could not obey the assembly decision to change presidents but would await an opinion from the Supreme Court, which convenes next Monday.

Guardsmen smashed windows and doors of the National Union headquarters Monday and moved in behind a tear gas barrage to arrest Hildebrando Nicosia, the union's secretary-general, and some 300 others opposed to Robles.



AIRBORNE REINFORCEMENTS arrive at Bien Hoa, Vietnam, and are given landing directions by a paratrooper. The formation of helicopters brought infantrymen to bolster defenses of the 101st Airborne Division base camp.

# Easter fashions

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By FRANK O'NEAL

 usually clear up this condi-  
 tion.

**Q—My bladder has fallen.**  
 My doctor says I should have  
 it repaired but it doesn't  
 bother me. It has been like  
 that for 20 years. Are there  
 any exercises that would  
 help? If the bladder is put  
 back in place, will it stay  
 put?

**A—A repair operation** for  
 a bladder that protrudes into  
 the birth canal is usually ad-  
 visable to prevent a bladder  
 infection. I know of no exer-  
 cise that will hold your blad-  
 der in place. Since your cysto-  
 cele is a result of one or more  
 deliveries and since I assume  
 you are past the childbearing  
 age, there should be no dan-  
 ger of a recurrence after the  
 operation.

**Q—My doctor says I have**  
 scar tissue in my urethra and  
 must have more cystoscopic  
 dilations. Won't this instru-  
 mentation cause more scar-  
 ring? If not, how many more  
 treatments will be necessary?  
**A—If the instrumentation** is  
 properly performed by a  
 qualified urologist, it will not  
 cause scarring. Many treat-  
 ments are usually required.  
 The number depends on the  
 progress made toward correc-  
 tion of the underlying cause.  
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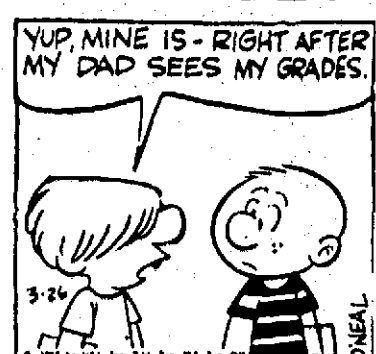
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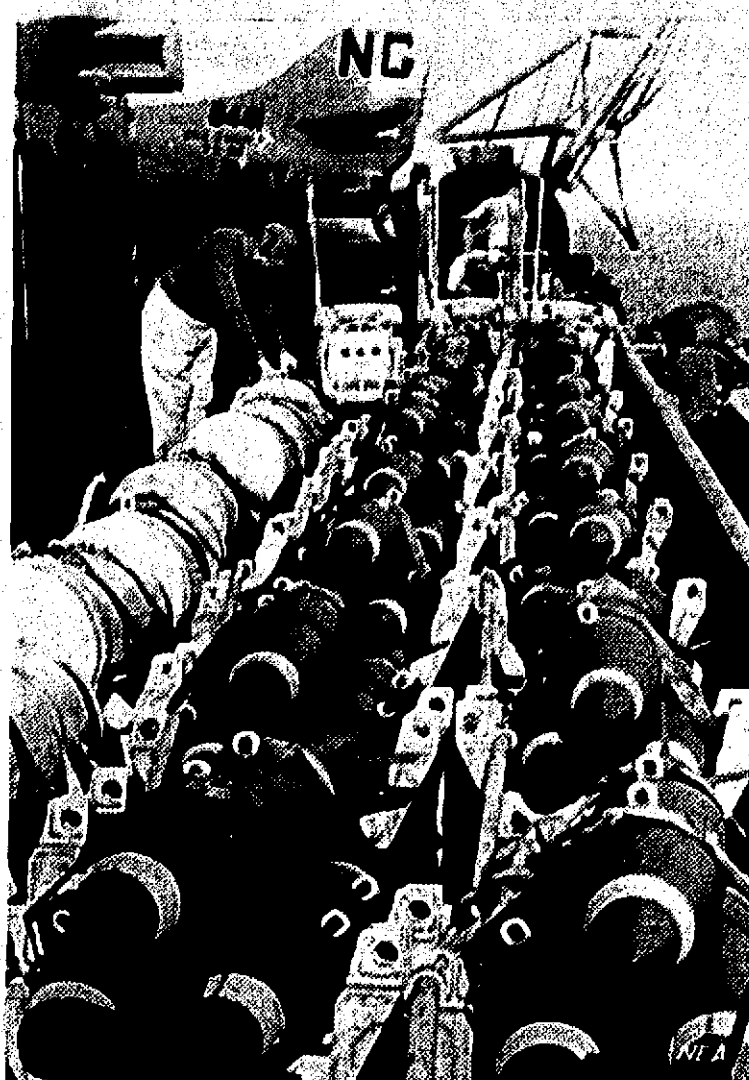
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10 Essential being	35 Dismounted	36 Landed property	37 Short-napped
11 Syriac cursive	37 Short-napped	38 Landed property	39 Dismounted
12 Girl's name	38 Landed property	40 Tree of Trinidad	41 Southsayer
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## DOCTOR'S MAILBAG Drugs-Diet Program Helps In Bladder Infections

By WAYNE G. BRANDSTADT, M.D.

**Q—A urologist says I have**  
 a nonspecific bacterial infection  
 in my bladder. Antibiotics  
 have not helped. Is there any-  
 thing that will clear it up?  
 Would the fact that my uterus  
 presses on my bladder cause  
 this infection?

**A—Different bacteria** re-  
 quire different antibiotics  
 and, in some cases, tests  
 must be made to determine  
 whether the organisms caus-  
 ing the infection have become  
 resistant to the treatment  
 used. Pressure from inside  
 the pelvis may irritate the  
 bladder and cause frequent  
 urination but will not cause  
 infection.

**Q—I am a woman, 72, and**  
 have a constant urge to urinate.  
 When I do, I have a  
 burning pain. What can I take  
 for it?

**A—First, have your doctor**

determine the cause. A treat-  
 ment program might include  
 drugs and diet that will  
 change the acidity or alkalin-  
 ity of your urine, urinary an-  
 tiseptics and drugs to soothe  
 your bladder. In stubborn  
 cases, it may be necessary  
 to irrigate the bladder with a  
 weak solution of silver ni-  
 trate or some other antiseptic.

**Q—Can an ulcer of the blad-**  
**der be cured? Does it turn to**  
**cancer?**

**A—Chronic ulcers of the**  
 bladder are notoriously hard  
 to cure. Local treatment  
 through a cystoscope is usu-  
 ally required. Chronic irrita-  
 tion of the bladder may be a  
 precipitating cause of some  
 cancers.

**Q—My doctor found pus in**  
 my urine. What is the cause?  
**A—The cause is an infection**  
 in the kidneys, bladder  
 or both. Urinary antiseptics

## LEGAL NOTICE

 LEGAL NOTICE  
 ORDINANCE 843

 An ordinance adopting a code  
 of land subdivision rules, regu-  
 lations and standards, and provid-  
 ing penalties for violation  
 thereof.

**AUTHORITY.** . . . WHEREAS,  
 under authority of Act 26 of the  
 Acts of the State of Arkansas  
 for 1955, and Act 186 of the Acts  
 of the State of Arkansas for 1957  
 (Ark. Stats. 18-2819-2831), the  
 Hope City Planning Commission,  
 after published notice and  
 public hearing, according to law,  
 has adopted a code of Land Sub-  
 division Rules, Regulations and  
 Standards for the City of Hope,  
 Arkansas, and has certified the  
 same to the City Council of the  
 City of Hope, Arkansas, subse-  
 quent to said published notice  
 NOW, THEREFORE,

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE**  
**CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY**  
**OF HOPE, ARKANSAS:**

**ADOPTION.** . . . That the Code  
 of Land Subdivision Rules, Regu-  
 lations and Standards, as adopted  
 by the Hope City Planning Com-  
 mission, of the City of Hope, Ar-  
 kansas, on the 20th day of Feb.,  
 1968, and which said Code of Land  
 Subdivision Rules, Regulations  
 and Standards has been certified  
 by the Hope City Planning Com-  
 mission to the City Council of the  
 City of Hope, Arkansas, be and  
 the same is hereby adopted,  
 enacted and ordained in its en-  
 tirety as if included herein word  
 for word, and the said Code is  
 hereby published by reference to  
 its title as provided by Act 36  
 of the Acts of the State of Arkan-  
 sas for 1949.

**APPROVED**  
**DONALD PARKER,**  
 Mayor

Attest:  
 Frances S. Reynerson  
 Passed and approved by the  
 City Board of Directors on March  
 19, 1968. Published in Hope Star  
 on March 26, 1968.

Pauline Harrison Hicks  
 Administratrix  
 P. O. Box 96  
 Columbus, Arkansas

March 19, 26, 1968

## LEGAL NOTICE

In the Probate Court of Hemp-  
 stead County, Arkansas.  
 In the matter of the estate of  
 C. W. Harrison, deceased, No.  
 2133. Last known address of  
 decedent: P. O. 96, Columbus,  
 Arkansas. Date of death: Feb-  
 ruary 21, 1968. The undersigned  
 was appointed administratrix of  
 the estate of the above named  
 decedent on the 23 day of Febru-  
 ary, 1968.

All persons having claims  
 against the estate must exhibit  
 them, duly verified, to the un-  
 dersigned within six months from  
 the date of the first publication  
 of this notice, or they shall be  
 forever barred and precluded  
 from any benefit in the estate.  
 This notice first published 19th  
 day of March, 1968.

W. L. Bundy  
 Administrator  
 423 Vermelle Street  
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March 19, 26, 1968

## 90. For Sale

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 the case or by the cans. De-  
 laney's Grocery, 202 East 2nd,  
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**3-ROOM DUPLEX,** \$25.00 month-  
 ly. (2) 5-ROOM Modern Hous-  
 es, Strout Realty, 620 West  
 3rd, 3-20-6tc

**3-BEDROOM HOUSE,** 2 baths,  
 gas logs. Washer connections.  
 Convenient location, 320 South  
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## 92. Houses Unfurnished

**7-ROOM HOUSE** for rent. Re-  
 cently paneled throughout with  
 hardwood floors, 1004 South  
 Elm, Phone: PR7-2253. 3-25-4tc

**TWO BEDROOM HOUSE** for rent.  
 Washing machine connections.  
 1012 West 5th, Phone PR7-  
 2894, Miss Lillie Mid-  
 diebrooks. 3-26-4tp

## 95. Apartments Unfurnished

**FOR LEASE** at Hillcrest and Im-  
 perial - 1 and 2 bedroom apart-  
 ments. Utilities paid. Some  
 furnished. \$100.00 up. PR7-  
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## 102. Real Estate For Sale

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 central heating, plenty of  
 closet space, two baths, one  
 with wall to wall carpet. Drapes  
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 Call PR7-5632 after 5:00 p.m.  
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WARNING ORDER

In the Chancery Court of Hemp-  
 stead County, Arkansas, No.  
 9309. **COMMERCIAL ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION VS AR-  
 LICE PETTIT and SHIRLEY  
 PETTIT,** his wife, **VIOLET GIL-  
 MORE AND W. A. JETT,** if  
 living, and if dead, the respec-  
 tive unknown heirs, devisees,  
 trustees, administrators, ex-  
 ecutors and assigns, if any, im-  
 mediate and remote, of such de-  
 ceased persons.

The following defendants, Ar-  
 lice Pettit and Shirley Pettit, his  
 wife, Violet Gilmore and W. A.  
 Jett, if living, and if dead, the  
 respective unknown heirs, devisees,  
 trustees, administrators, ex-  
 ecutors and assigns, if any, im-  
 mediate and remote, of such de-  
 ceased persons, is hereby  
 warned to appear in this Court  
 within thirty (30) days and an-  
 swer the complaint of the plain-  
 tiff, Commercial Acceptance  
 Corporation.

**WITNESS** my hand as Clerk of  
 the Chancery Court of Hempstead  
 County, Arkansas, and the seal of  
 said Court, this 22nd day of  
 March, 1968.

**JIM COLE**  
 Chancery Clerk

March 26, April 2, 9, 16, 1968  
 Garden's Irrigation  
 According to the Book of  
 Genesis in the Bible, a river  
 flowed out of Eden to water  
 the Garden of Eden, and there  
 it divided and became four  
 rivers. Their names were  
 Pishon, Gihon, Hiddekel and  
 the Euphrates.

## 71. Cosmetics

**FOR ALL YOUR COSMETIC**  
 needs visit the new Merle Nor-  
 man Studio at 621 Sunset, Nash-  
 ville, Arkansas. For mail or-  
 ders, Phone: 845-3777 Cleta  
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 casions, personalized, printed.  
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 ably furnished. Would con-  
 sider small home or 12 foot  
 wide - 2 or 3 bedroom trailer.  
 Trailer as part payment  
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 A, Hope, Arkansas. Phone:  
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 change references, \$900 to  
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 come. More full time. For  
 personal interview, send  
 name, address and phone num-  
 ber to Inter-State Dist. Co.,  
 7262 Natrual Bridge Road,  
 Suite No. 2, St. Louis, Mo.  
 63121. 3-26-3tc

## 80. Help Wanted Male

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 buy for your money anywhere  
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 pare prices and quality. Open  
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**WE HAVE FISHING BOATS,** mo-  
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 pound bag of Ruby Red Grape-  
 fruit, 20 pound bag of Texas  
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 pounds 59c, and Roman Beauty  
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 Boats, 12 and 14 foot \$89.00  
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 Air conditioning, radio, stan-  
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**VEGETABLES AND FLOWER**  
**PLANTS,** in individual peat  
 pots. Good assortment of new  
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 Greenhouses, Rocky Mount  
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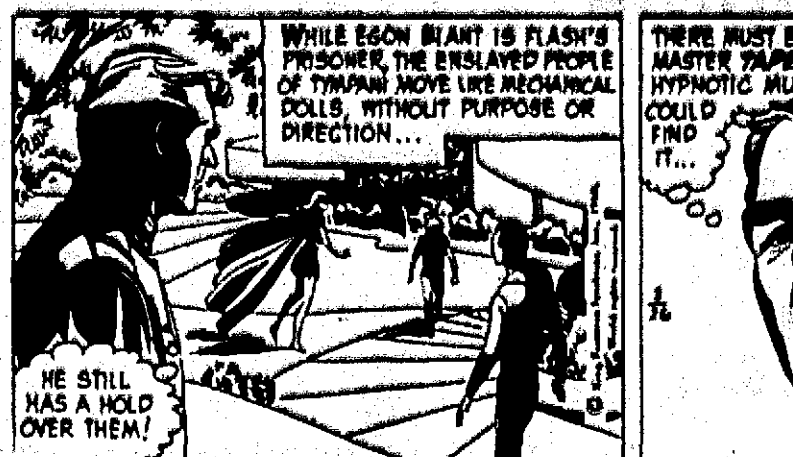
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**QUICK QUIZ BLONDIE**

Q—Does the President of the United States ever wear a uniform?  
A—The President is a civilian, although he is commander-in-chief of the Armed Forces. Tradition forbids his appearing in the uniform of the military or naval services.

Q—Which is the one popular sport played in this country which is truly American in its origins?  
A—Basketball, invented in 1891 by James Naismith.

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**THE BORN LOSER**



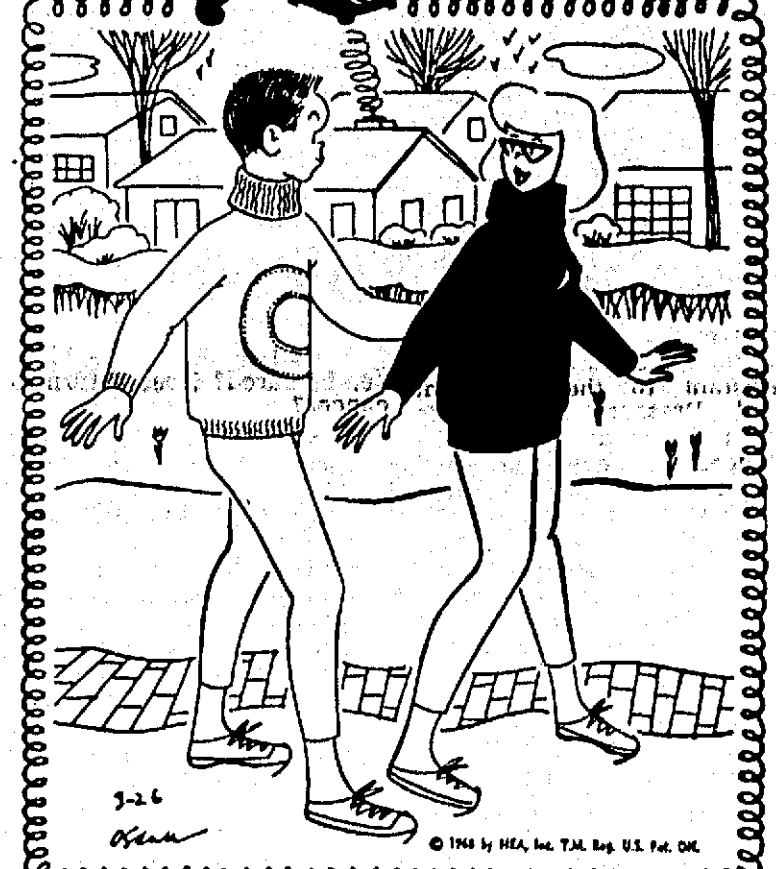
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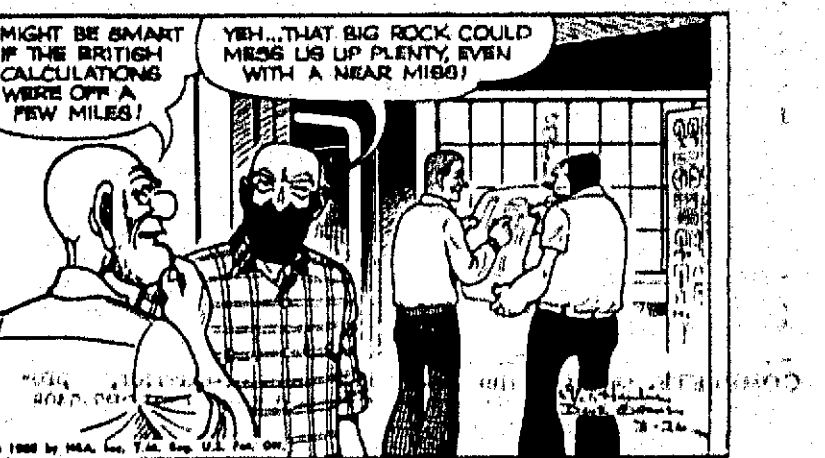
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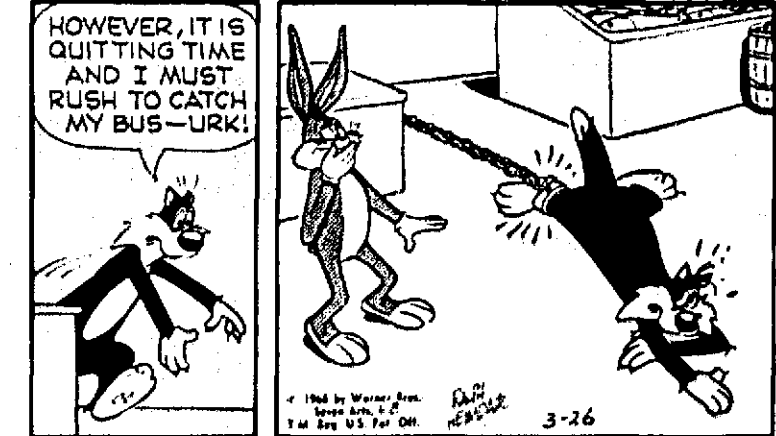
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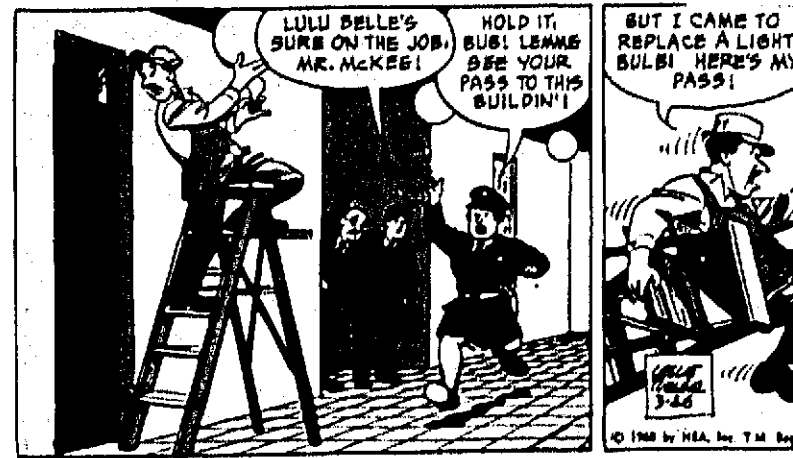
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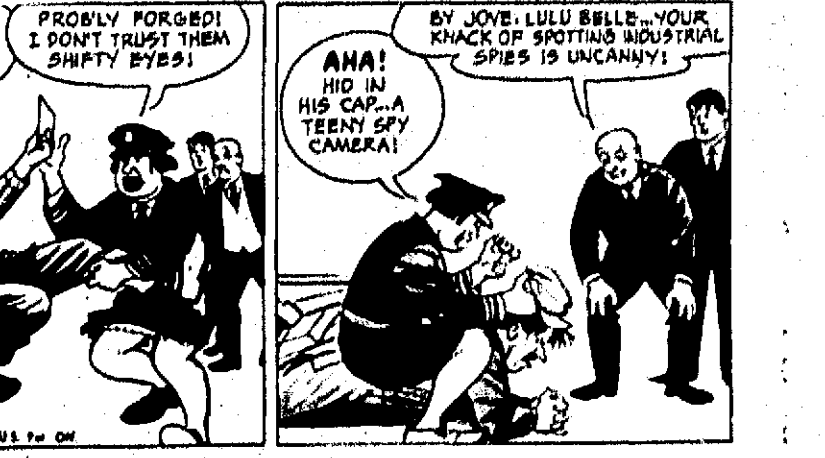
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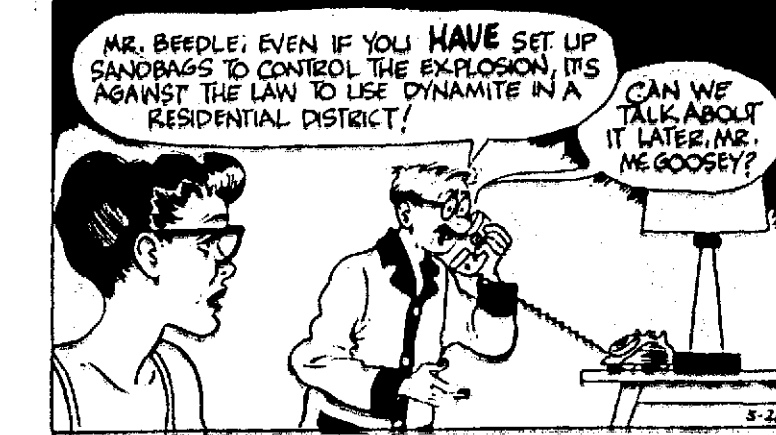
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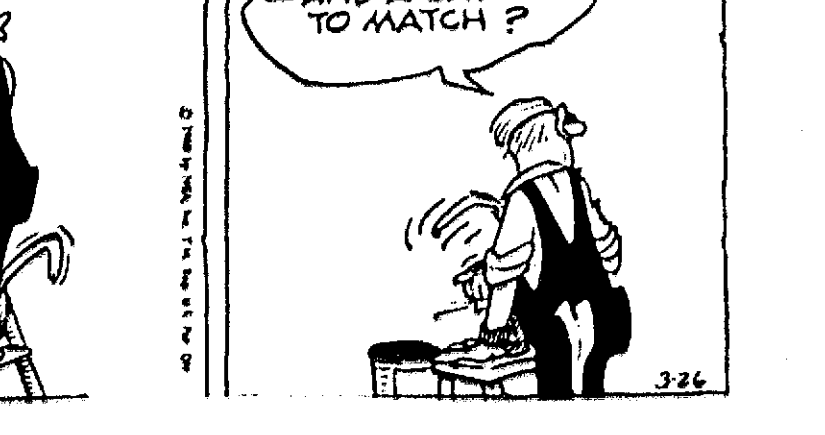
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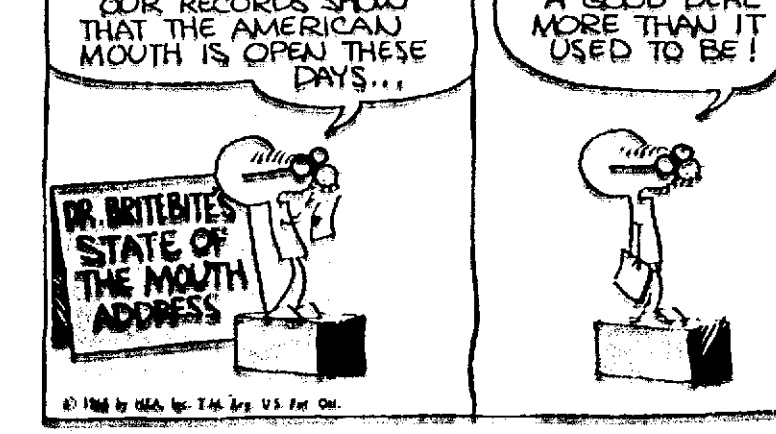
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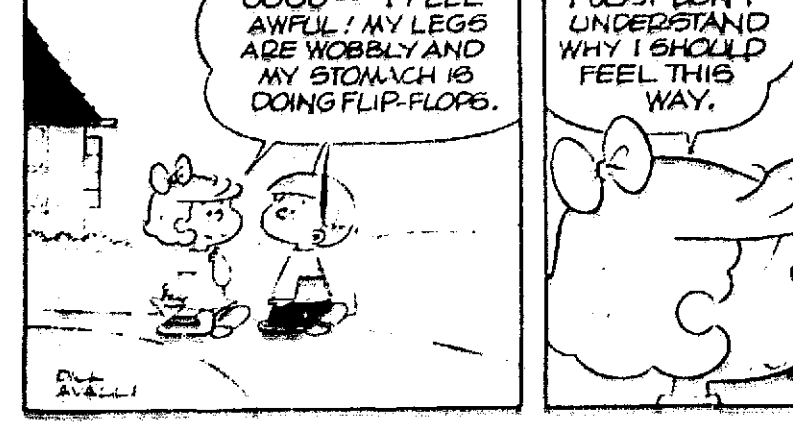
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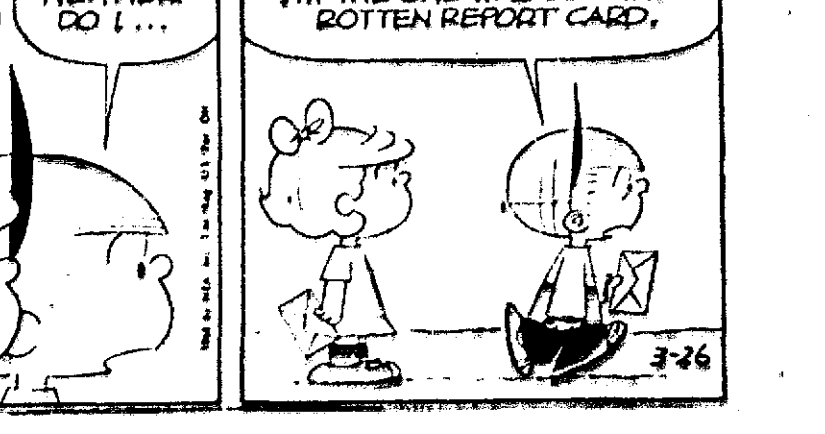
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# Television Schedule

## Television 3

TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 1968

6:00 THE RIFLEMAN  
6:30 (Color) ABC SPECIAL  
"How Life Begins"  
7:30 (Color) IT TAKES A THIEF  
8:30 (Color) N. Y. P. D.  
9:00 (Color) THE INVADERS  
10:00 (Color) 10 O'CLOCK REPORT  
10:30 (Color) THE JOE BISHOP SHOW  
12:00H SINE OFF



TUESDAY, MARCH 26

6:30 PM THE VIRGINIAN - C  
8:00 KRAFT MUSIC HALL - C  
9:00 RUN FOR YOUR LIFE - C  
10:00 NEWSOPE - (NEWS-WEATHER  
SPORTS) - C  
10:30 THE TONIGHT SHOW  
12:00 EVENING DEVOTIONAL

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 1968

6:45 AM TEST PATTERN  
7:00 (Color) BOZO'S BIG-TOE SHOW  
8:30 DIALING FOR DOLLARS THEATRE  
"Skylark"  
Claudette Colbert, Ray Milland  
10:00 (Color) THIS MORNING  
11:00 BEWITCHED  
11:30 (Color) TREASURE ISLE  
12:00 THE FUGITIVE  
1:00 (Color) THE NEWLYWED GAME  
1:30 (Color) THE BABY GAME  
1:55 (Color) CHILDREN'S DOCTOR  
2:00 (Color) GENERAL HOSPITAL  
2:30 (Color) DARK SHADOWS  
3:00 (Color) THE DATING GAME  
3:30 DIALING FOR DOLLARS THEATRE  
"Safari"  
Madeline Carroll, Douglas  
Fairbanks, Jr.

5:00 (Color) ABC NEWS  
5:30 (Color) 5:30 REPORT  
6:00 THE RIFLEMAN  
6:30 (Color) THE AVENGERS  
7:30 (Color) ABC SPECIAL  
"Dream House"  
8:00 (Color) WEDNESDAY MOVIE SPECIAL  
"The Seven Year Itch"  
Marilyn Monroe, Tom Ewell  
10:00 (Color) 10 O'CLOCK REPORT  
10:30 THE BIG MOVIE  
"The Marriage Go Round"  
James Mason, Susan Hayward,  
Julie Newmar  
12:30 AM SINE OFF



Tuesday, March 26, 1968

5:30 Huntley Brinkley Report NBC  
6:00 News and Weather Report (C)  
6:30 I Dream of Jeannie NBC (C)  
7:00 The Jerry Lewis Show NBC (C)  
8:00 Tuesday Night at the Movies  
"Wapath" Edmond O'Brien  
10:00 News and Weather (C)  
10:15 Lonnie Gibbons Sports Show  
10:30 The Tonight Show NBC (C)  
12:00 Sign Off

Wednesday, March 27, 1968

6:45 RFD with Bob Buice (C)  
6:55 Morning Devotions (C)  
7:00 The Today Show NBC (C)  
7:25 Arkansas News and Weather  
7:30 The Today Show NBC (C)  
8:00 The Today Show NBC (C)  
8:25 Arkansas News and Weather  
8:30 The Today Show NBC (C)  
9:00 Snap Judgment NBC (C)  
9:25 Nancy Dickerson with the News  
9:30 Concentration NBC (C)  
10:00 Personality NBC (C)  
10:30 The Hollywood Squares NBC  
11:00 Jeopardy NBC (C)  
11:30 Eye Guess NBC (C)  
11:55 Edwin Newman with the News  
12:00 Little Rock Today (C)  
12:20 Let's Make a Deal NBC (C)  
1:00 Days of Our Lives NBC (C)  
1:30 The Doctors NBC (C)  
2:00 Another World NBC (C)  
2:30 You Don't Say NBC (C)  
3:00 Mike Douglas Show  
4:30 I Love Lucy "A Sculptress"  
5:00 F-Troop  
5:30 Huntley Brinkley Report NBC  
6:00 News and Weather Report (C)  
6:30 The Virginian NBC (C)  
8:00 Kraft Music Hall NBC (C)  
9:00 Run For Your Life NBC (C)  
10:00 News and Weather (C)  
10:15 Lonnie Gibbons Sports Show  
10:30 The Tonight Show NBC (C)  
12:00 Sign Off

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TUESDAY, MARCH 26

6:30 PM I DREAM OF JEANNIE  
7:00 JERRY LEWIS SHOW - C  
8:00 TUESDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES  
"STRANGER ON THE RUN" - C  
HENRY FONDA-ANN RAXTER  
10:00 NEWSOPE - (NEWS-WEATHER  
SPORTS) - C  
10:30 THE TONIGHT SHOW - C  
12:00 EVENING DEVOTIONAL

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27

6:20 AM MORNING DEVOTIONAL  
6:25 TEXARKANA COLLEGE - C  
6:45 FARM DIGEST - C  
7:00 TODAY SHOW - C  
7:25 TODAY IN TEXARKANA - C  
7:30 TODAY SHOW - C  
8:25 TODAY IN SHREVEPORT - C  
8:30 TODAY SHOW - C  
9:00 SNAP JUDGMENT - C  
9:25 NBC NEWS - C  
9:30 CONCENTRATION - C  
10:00 PERSONALITY - C  
10:30 HOLLYWOOD SQUARES - C  
11:00 JEOPARDY - C  
11:30 EYE GUESS - C  
12:00 N TV PARTYLINE - C  
12:30 PM LET'S MAKE A DEAL - C  
1:00 DAYS OF OUR LIVES - C  
1:30 THE DOCTORS - C  
2:00 ANOTHER WORLD - C  
2:30 YOU DON'T SAY - C  
3:00 THE MATCH GAME - C  
3:25 LAFFALOY CLUB - C  
4:30 WANTED: DEAD OR ALIVE R&W  
5:00 MARSHAL DILLON - C  
5:30 HUNTLEY-BRINKLEY - C  
6:00 NEWSOPE - (NEWS-WEATHER  
SPORTS) - C

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TUESDAY MARCH 26

6:30 Daktari  
7:30 Red Skelton  
8:30 Good Morning World  
9:00 CBS News Hour  
10:00 News/Erwin  
10:25 Weather/Griffin  
10:30 He & She  
11:00 The Lieutenant  
12:00 Weather/Vespers

WEDNESDAY MARCH 27

6:25 Economics (Mon-Thur)  
6:25 Across The Fence (Fri)  
6:55 Your Pastor  
7:05 CBS News/Bentley  
7:30 Bob & His Buddies  
8:00 Captain Kangaroo  
9:00 Candid Camera

## SHOWBEAT



### "Dolittle" Nod Stirs Bloc Talk

By DICK KLEINER  
NEA Hollywood Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD (NEA)

The surprising nomination of "Dr. Dolittle" as best picture started the Hollywood insiders talking about "bloc voting" again. . . That's the device whereby a studio gets behind a picture and all studio employees who are Academy members vote for it en masse. . . Fox spokesmen deny there was any organized bloc voting for the expensive musical, but it didn't get the nomination on its merits. . . Jacqueline Susann is busily writing the script for the "Valley Of The Dolls" sequel, and she's happy that all but one of the stars of the original were killed off. . . She can now write new characters, with only Barbara Parkins slated to be held over from the first "Dolls". . . I like Sy Weintraub's determination. . . I asked the man behind Tarzan what he was going to do now that the series had been canceled. . . "I'll get it on again," Sy said. . . Spoken like a true lord of the jungle.

In 11 months, Polly Bergen's \$1,500 investment has grown into a \$2.5 million business. Her new line of cosmetics is now sold in more than 600 stores, she has 32 full-time employees—and she's back where she didn't want to be.

Pretty Polly worked for years to get away from the discipline of hours—the early morning to late night movie-making schedule—but now I have it worse than ever—I work 12 to 14 hours a day.

"I used to have this ego thing," Polly says. "I wanted to be Polly Bergen, The Star. Then one day I realized I didn't need that any more, so I quit and maybe did two things a

year for fun. It was wonderful—I played cards three nights a week, went out to lunch with the girls and just took it easy."

Then came the cosmetics thing and no more cards, no more lunches with the girls. She's even doing more in show business, because it's good for the sale of her products to keep her name in front of the public. It's a vicious, perfumed circle.

"And now I have to take more trouble with myself," she says. "All actors tend to be narcissistic, and I guess I was, too. But until I went into this business, I don't think I ever looked at myself closely in the mirror. I'd stand back to gauge the over-all effect, but now I have to be as close to perfect as I can be."

Most men think she is. . . "Poor Cow" has had a mixed reception—there are those who think it's a near-masterpiece and others feel it's disorganized junk—but everybody agrees that Carol White, its star, will take the bull by the horns and become a major movie name.

"If all this success had happened before," Carol says, "I think it would have finished me."

What she means by "before" is the period before she temporarily quit show business. The lovely English girl—blonde, blue-eyed, cheerful—had retired from acting at 18 and spent five years having a family "and sorting things out."

"I used to be sort of wild," Carol says. "But that five years was good for me. Now I'm calm and placid and I know what I want."

She wants to do big—and good—things, but only if they fit in with her home life. She's married to Michael King, one of the King Brothers (not to be confused with the King Family), an English singing trio. They have two sons—one played her son in "Poor Cow."

"I have both feet on the ground now," Carol White says.

They may be on the ground, but they're also on the stardom ladder. It's a neat trick, but she's managing it.

## Monkee Business Takes Over on Movie War Front

By DICK KLEINER  
NEA Hollywood Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD—(NEA)—Between skirmishes, I chatted with Mike Nesmith and learned that the Monkees consider it "a moral victory" that their television series wasn't renewed for next season.

The four primates are shooting their first movie for Columbia now. It has no title—the working name, "Changes," will have to be changed because there already is a film by that name—and to give you a rough idea of the type of plot it has, consider this scene:

The setting is wartime, an unspecified war. The four are in GI uniforms, in a large, economy-sized foxhole. Shells are bursting around them. Peter Tork runs out to get help and along comes Green Bay Packer linebacker Ray Nitschke, in full football equipment, and blocks him out. No explanation, of course.

Nesmith was able to relax while the cameras focused on Tork, Davy Jones and Mickey Dolenz. He is a bright, articulate and pleasant young man, given to big words and refreshing frankness.

"We couldn't have gone through another season with the series," he said. "We were in the middle of a political struggle and, although we didn't precipitate any of it, we got a bad press. Now we've instituted an open-door policy—we'll talk to anybody, any time. This has been a moral victory for us."

They will continue together as a group, of course, with

the movie, recordings (they're doing their own now, Nesmith says), personal appearances and television specials.

"Now we'll be able to do the things the way we want to," Nesmith says. "We each have our own style—Peter is understatement, quieter, melodic; Mickey is ragtime, old-fashioned; Davy is Broadway, mohair tuxedo; and I'm hard-driving West Coast rock—and our albums will have a bit of each."

He says that the "pop music establishment" is down on them, possibly out of jealousy, and that they haven't received the recognition they deserve as musicians. But he believes, with time, that will change and they will be appreciated.

"People think we're tools of the establishment," he says, "but we're not. We're really the truest expression of the iconoclastic youth of today."

Their personal lives have, naturally, changed considerably since the lightning struck. Nesmith has adjusted beautifully to the problems of fame and fortune.

"The solution," he says, "is to realize what you can and cannot do. I learned early that I can't go into Denny's for a hamburger. But I've found quiet, out-of-the-way places where I can go—it may cost me \$50 to get in, but I have privacy."

"If I'm going anywhere, I know I'll be mobbed. So I either go prepared for it, or I don't go. I don't think that any of the big stars—Cary Grant, Jimmy Stewart, people like that—have been through what we have. Perhaps only five others in history have



MOSLEM PRAYERS are offered by high-ranking officials in Cairo, U.A.R. From the left are: Rector of Al Azhar, President Gamel Abdel Nasser; Yemini Premier Emery and U.A.R. vice president Zakaria Mohieddin. Occasions marked start of the Bairam feast.



RUBBLE blocks street in downtown Haiphong, North Vietnam, after U.S. air raids. Photo released by Japanese news agency shows bomb sign in foreground, indicating there are unexploded bombs in area and that it is "off limits."

## Star Protests Vietnam War

LONDON (AP) — British actress Vanessa Redgrave sang "We Shall Overcome" outside Prime Minister Harold Wilson's official London residence Sunday in her latest protest against the Vietnam war.

But the song of protest never reached its target. Wilson was spending the weekend at Chequers, country estate of Britain's prime ministers.

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PETER TORK AND MIKE NESMITH, two of TV's Monkees, make like method actors in Hollywood, where the four primates are making their first movie. They aren't sure what it will be called, but it will be different.



# Strech Homes "Open House" Starts Wednesday

CONGRESS TOLD  
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the Senate panel after de-  
fining senators had an obliga-  
to "vote for fiscal responsi-  
,"  
said the administration an-  
nates a "back to back" defi-  
of \$20 billion for the current  
year and the one begin-  
July 1 if Johnson's pro-  
10 per cent income tax  
charge isn't enacted.  
Following Barr's appraisal of  
financial problems posed by  
war and domestic needs,  
Bourke B. Hickenlooper,  
awa, said, "It takes the but-  
out of it when we reduce our  
guard of living." Barr  
reed.  
he said if the surtax is enact-  
the current fiscal year's defi-  
will be \$2 billion smaller  
of the \$20 billion he forecast,  
the tax hike combined  
spending cuts could keep  
fiscal 1969 deficit down to \$8  
billion.  
Johnson told the AFL-CIO  
Union Trades Department  
relative conference he will  
to build "a better America  
climate of law and order"  
the meeting U.S. commit-  
ments in Vietnam.  
The President's war course  
renewed endorsement from  
AFL-CIO President George  
Meany.  
Meany urged Americans "to  
at Hanoi know they can't win at  
the ballot box in this country  
that they can't win in Asia."  
He also took issue with politi-  
cal opponents of the President  
who he said label the Vietnam  
conflict "Johnson's war." It is  
more Johnson's than it was  
war of former Presidents  
 Dwight D. Eisenhower of John  
Kennedy, said Meany.  
Sen. George A. Smathers, D-  
Fla., told the Senate the war  
hinge on for another year as he  
urged for enactment of the sur-  
tax.  
Smathers said "even if some-  
one, for lack of a better word,  
is elected" president he won't  
be in office until January.  
The war won't even end until  
at least a year from today, even if  
it is a miracle worker, which I  
doubt," Smathers said.  
The Agency for International  
Development told Congress to-  
day the enemy's "let offensive  
against South Vietnamese popu-  
lation centers in late January  
amounted to \$120 million in

## New "Hacienda" Home Open to Public on Wednesday



### Property of Five Seized by the IRS

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The  
property of five Arkansas tax-  
payers has been seized by the  
Internal Revenue Service and  
will be sold at public auctions  
next month to satisfy delinquent  
federal taxes.  
The IRS said the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. Arvil C. Adams of  
near Harrisburg would be sold  
April 4 along with one acre of  
land. The Adams owe \$4,840 in  
income taxes for 1965 and 1966  
according to tax liens.  
Thirteen vacant lots at Har-  
risburg that belonged to Mr. and  
Mrs. Ben F. Powell of Harris-  
burg will be sold April 11. Tax  
liens indicated that the Powells  
owe \$3,263 in income taxes for  
1965 and 1966.  
The IRS said a water well  
drilling rig that belonged to J.  
W. Powers of DeQueen would  
be sold April 16. The IRS says  
Powers owes more than \$1,000  
in income taxes.  
The home of Mr. and Mrs.  
Robert J. Karr of West Memphis  
will be sold April 18 as will the  
home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry  
Cotton, also of West Memphis.  
The IRS says Karr owes \$2,146  
in taxes and his wife owes \$128.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cotton owe \$1,800  
in income taxes for 1966, ac-  
cording to tax liens.

### McKinnie Joins Pine Bluff Firm



H. L. McKinnie

PINE BLUFF—Hayes L. Mc-  
Kinnie, 34, of Hope has joined  
Guaranty Financial Corporation  
as executive vice president, it  
was announced yesterday by Joe  
K. McCarty, president of the Pine  
Bluff holding company.  
McKinnie was controller of  
M&M Leasing Company, Inc., of  
Hope, which operates a car and  
truck leasing business, owns  
three Ford agencies and has other  
interests. He is a certified  
public accountant.  
At Guaranty Financial, Mc-  
Kinnie will be working primarily  
in the areas of accounting and  
fiscal control not only with the  
parent company but with manage-  
ment at the various Guaranty sub-  
sidiaries.  
Guaranty, publicly owned, has  
purchased five operating com-  
panies within the past year, in-  
cluding Ashdown Manufacturing  
Corporation, a trailer manufactur-  
ing firm at Ashdown with  
which McKinnie was associated  
through M&M Leasing.  
McKinnie, born on a small  
farm near Hampton, is married to  
the former Iva Grist of Eng-  
land. They have no children.  
He graduated from Hampton  
High School, where he was class  
valedictorian, and attended Ar-  
kansas A&M College at Monticello  
before graduating with  
honors from Little Rock Univer-  
sity in 1961 with a major in ac-  
counting.  
McKinnie, an Air Force  
veteran who served in Korea,  
was active in farm and youth  
projects while in high school and  
captained the Hampton basketball  
team. He also was editor of the  
school yearbook and earned \$40  
a month as a school bus driver  
during his senior year.  
He attended Arkansas A&M on  
scholarship and athletic scholar-  
ships and worked at the Naval  
Ammunition Depot at Camden and  
at a rug factory in Monticello  
during the early 1950's.  
After his Air Force service  
(late 1953 until late 1955) Mc-  
Kinnie was with American Cy-  
anamid Company at Benton, A.W.  
Johnson Company, an air con-  
ditioning equipment distributor  
in Little Rock; and Traveler Boat  
Manufacturing Company of Little  
Rock while attending LRU at night  
during 1957-61.  
After graduation, he joined

Arthur Strech, real estate broker-developer and owner of  
Strech Homes, today announced  
plans for the grand opening of  
their new and complete furn-  
ishing - all gas-model home "The  
Hacienda" located adjacent to  
the former home of Mrs. Free-  
da Grennan off Pinecrest, near  
Highway 67 East.  
Architecturally this all new  
home is "California Rustic" and  
Mr. Strech said it will be open  
to the public from 1 p.m. to  
6 p.m. daily (including Sunday)  
beginning Wednesday, March  
27th, and continuing thru April  
6th.  
Many of the features of this  
new home are usually found only  
in homes costing many times its  
price. According to Mr. Strech,  
This all cedar-brick home has  
three spacious bedrooms and two  
baths. One of the features is a  
cobblestone wood burning fire-  
place. Caloric kitchen built-in  
appliances are featured in avoca-  
do green. All kitchen cabinets  
are custom built in dark walnut  
and are individually hand rubbed  
for the craftsman finish. All  
draperies were custom designed

by Grigg Decorating Company.  
Collier Furniture and Appliances  
have furnished the Hacienda in a  
Mediterranean motif and Arkla-  
Servel installed the central heat-  
ing and air conditioning.  
Mr. Strech invites everyone to  
come visit this "House of Tomo-  
row".

### Negroes at Memphis Plan Massive March

MEMPHIS (AP) — The Mem-  
phis Negro community has an-  
nounced plans for a massive  
march Friday in support of the  
lengthy city garbage strike,  
with leaders saying it will be  
led by Dr. Martin Luther King.  
A similar event headed by  
King was postponed last Friday  
when Memphis was socked by  
a 17-inch snowfall, the second  
worst snowstorm in the city's  
history.  
Dr. H. Ralph Jackson, chief  
of the African Methodist Epis-  
copal Church's Minimum Sal-  
ary Department, announced the  
new schedule.  
Reached in Atlanta, Mrs.  
King said she was unsure of  
the date her husband intended  
to return to Memphis. King's  
secretary in Atlanta confirmed  
the civil rights leader plans a  
Memphis march, but also was  
unable to give a date.  
In a Memphis appearance on  
March 18, King addressed a  
gathering of some 12,000 per-  
sons and asked the Negro com-  
munity to go on a holiday from  
jobs and classes on March 22.  
He promised then to return  
that day and lead them on a  
downtown parade in support of  
some 1,300 city sanitation work-  
ers—98 per cent of them Negro  
—who went off the job Feb. 12.  
Meanwhile, settlement of the  
seven-week-old labor dispute  
still seemed distant.  
Former federal mediator  
Frank B. Miles, agreed upon by  
both sides to supervise nego-  
tiations, said there is no clear  
indication when sessions will re-  
sume.

### Little Rock Man Dies in Wreck

NORTH LITTLE ROCK (AP) —  
Larry W. Parish, 21, of Little  
Rock was killed early today in  
a one-car accident on U.S. 70  
one-half mile east of here.  
State Police said Pariah's car  
ran off the road and plunged  
down a steep embankment. He  
was dead on arrival at a North  
Little Rock hospital.

### Indians Don't Like That Title

MESCALERO, N.M. (AP) —  
The president of the National  
Congress of Indians says he will  
seek a court injunction to pre-  
vent a proposed movie from  
bearing the title, "Nobody  
Loves a Drunken Indian."  
"I believe the American In-  
dian has a rather exciting story  
to tell," said Wendell Chino,  
president of the Mescalero  
Apaches, "a story pertaining to  
his ability to solve his own prob-  
lems and take hold of his own  
future. It's a much more ex-  
citing theme than the old West-  
ern in my opinion."  
But Albuquerque author Max  
Evans, a friend of Clair Huffak-  
er who is the writer of the  
screenplay, said the movie "is  
all in favor of the Indians and  
tells how they were taken for a  
ride by the white man."

### Camden Plant Charged by CWA

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The  
International Telephone and  
Telegraph Co., communications  
equipment factory at Camden  
has been charged with unfair  
labor practices by the Com-  
munications Workers of Ameri-  
ca.  
The CWA filed the charge  
with the National Labor Rela-  
tions Board.

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and controller, it later was merged  
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cinnati, Ohio, returning to Ar-  
kansas late that year to join  
M&M Leasing at Hope.  
McKinnie was chief finan-  
cial officer at Corn Belt Hat-  
cheries, and when the firm was  
merged into The Kroger Company  
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tion KOKY in Little Rock, which  
it purchased only 10 days ago;  
and Southwest Booking Agency,  
Inc., of Little Rock.  
Guaranty also has announced  
plans to build a \$1,250,000 ex-  
tended care hospital facility near  
St. Vincent's Hospital in Little  
Rock.  
McCarty announced recently  
that a couple of additional  
acquisitions were in the negotia-  
tion stage and that others were  
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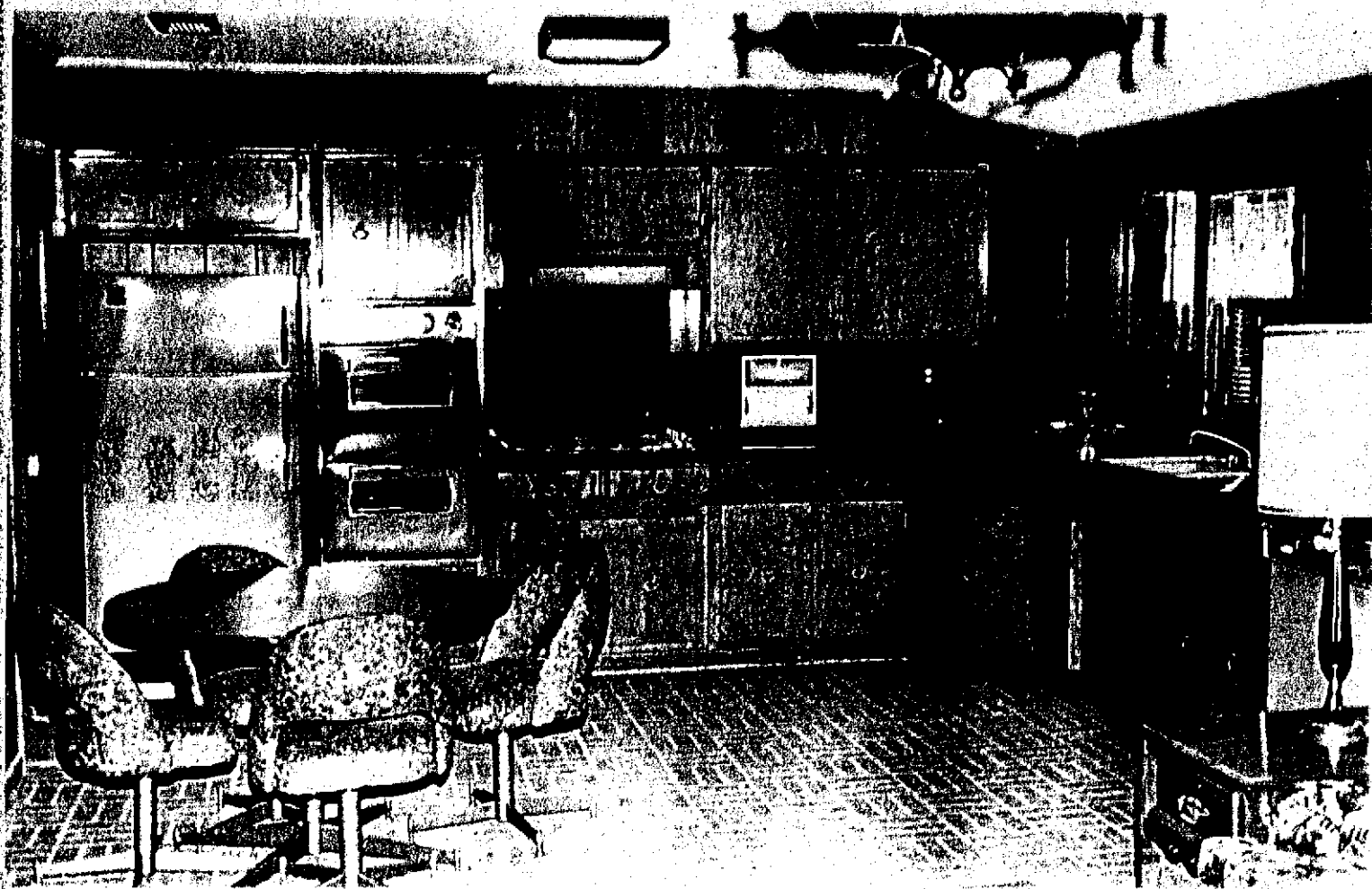
### Bearden Won't Run Again

BLITHEVILLE, Ark. (AP)—  
State Sen. J. Lee Bearden of  
Leachville, who has served in  
the legislature since 1941, an-  
nounced Monday he would not  
seek re-election this year.  
Bearden said his physician  
had advised him against mak-  
ing the race. Bearden is out-  
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ate by only State Sen. Russell  
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## View of Hacienda's Kitchen Area



View of portion of kitchen area showing the massive cabinet arrangement. All kitchen built-ins are gas fired and are in avocado green. Kitchen floor is vinyl brick by

Armstrong. All corner cabinets feature lazy-suzans for ease of storage.

### Drawbridge Is Discussed

### This Is the Den of New Home

MEMPHIS (AP) — A railroad drawbridge and when it should be up, when down, was the topic of a Monday hearing conducted by the Army Engineers at Memphis.

The bridge spans the White River at Clarendon, Ark., and is used by the St. Louis-Southwestern Railway Lines (Cotton-belt).

Present federal regulations require the railroad to lift the bridge any time a towboat toots during seven months of the year. The rest of the year, tow boats must give 12 hours notice so a bridge operator can be on duty.

Barge line operators want the 12-hour notice stricken so the railroad would have to lift the bridge at all toots. The railroad wants the opposite — 12-hour notices all year.

The Corps of Engineers made no decision on the matter, placing the problem in the lap of the U.S. Coast Guard which takes over responsibility for bridge regulations on April 1.



— Hope Star photo

Looking into Den area from living quarters? This den adjoins the kitchen area. Bi-fold louvered doors in foreground separate the den and living areas. All furnishings are by Collier Furniture and Appliance Company. Drapes by Grigg Decorating and Supply.

### Messages From LBJ Hack Congress

By EDMOND LeBRETON  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Since Congress convened in January, President Johnson has sent messages to Capitol Hill at the rate of almost one every other working day.

All request action. Most call for spending.

The steady barrage of messages is one of the irritants that have made for prickly relations between a President determined to keep his long-range domestic programs alive and a Congress generally willing to go along on Vietnam, but bent on consolidation—at most—rather than expansion of government undertakings at home.

One of the more vocal critics

of the administration, Rep. Thomas B. Curtis, R-Mo., has complained bitterly that well-publicized messages calling for new governmental programs or expansion of old ones belie Johnson's insistence he is offering Congress on austere budget.

"He talks about economy," Curtis said, "but he keeps whetting people's appetites."

Members of the President's own party naturally are less inclined to criticize him publicly.

But in private conversation some of them say much the same thing: That Johnson must know that Congress, even if it approves new proposals in principle, is not likely to provide funds for them now in amounts sufficient to make much of a showing—and that disillusionment all around is the inevitable result.

Administration officials who appear in closed committee sessions seeking such Johnson objectives as the income tax surcharge are accustomed to hearing, "If he'd only cut those messages off . . ."

Between Jan. 17 and March 13, Johnson sent 23 messages to Congress, including the opening State of the Union message he delivered in person.

This total does not include routine communications such as those transmitting departmental reports. It does include four reorganization plans of limited financial impact.

The others, however, embrace proposals on such wide-ranging subjects as civil rights, education, public safety and crime, the crisis of the cities and conservation, among others.

There is nothing unusual about a President accompanying a significant legislative proposal with a special message to Congress.

Honduras was Columbus' first glimpse of the North American mainland. He thought it was China at the time.

### Powell May Get Parole Revoked

NEW YORK (AP) — Adam Clayton Powell has been ordered to show cause why his parole should not be revoked pending an appeal of his contempt conviction.

The court action today is one of three related hearings scheduled, but Powell, who dropped from public sight Monday after his weekend return to Harlem, is not required to appear personally for any of them.

Powell's whereabouts were not known, but he was reported to have gone back to his island retreat in Bimini, the Bahamas, where he has lived most of the last year since his expulsion from Congress.

The hearing on revoking parole was ordered by State Supreme Court Justice Joseph A. Saralite upon the application of an attorney for Mrs. Esther James, a Harlem widow who won a defamation suit against Powell.

Raymond Rubin, the attorney, alleged that the justice who granted the parole was unaware that a Puerto Rican court had

issued an arrest order against Powell Wednesday for violating parole there.

Justice Arthur Markewich issued the parole Friday night after Powell agreed to a stipulation that he file an appeal within two weeks on a criminal contempt finding stemming from the defamation case.

Another hearing on the court calendar involves an inquest in which Mrs. James, who has been battling Powell in the courts for eight years, seeks to have him assessed for the costs involved in collecting the original defamation judgment.

A third hearing is on a motion by Powell's attorney to have the

court strike down three contempt rulings against his client on the ground that Powell has paid almost all the money he owes Mrs. James.

### BARBS

By PHIL PASTORET

Now, in northern climes, is the time when little gasps of delight are heard as flowers pop through receding snow and garden tools once more come to light.

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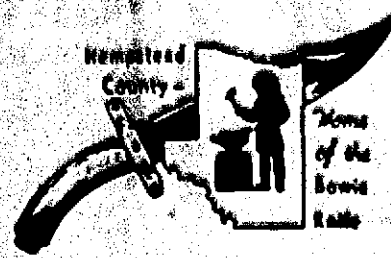
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## Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor  
Alex. N. Washburn  
Predatory Poverty  
Greater Threat  
Than Racism

A presidential commission charged with looking into the causes of rioting in big-city slums, and their remedy, brings in its report—and promptly starts a new riot, at least in words.

President Johnson appointed the commission, but its report was challenged by two men close to him: Vice-President Humphrey, and Wilbur J. Cohen, acting Secretary for Health, Education and Welfare.

The commission laid major blame for slum riots on white racism and suggested as a remedy an expenditure of untold billions of dollars on slum-dwellers.

How this sum could be raised by a government that is already out of money was something on which all officials were silent.

But Secretary Cohen joined the vice-president in protesting the charge that the whites are altogether to blame. Mr. Cohen said in Washington yesterday in the words of the AP:

"I wish some of the energy that has gone into rioting had gone instead into self-improvement. Without specifying Negroes he said he sees a need for oppressed people to be 'lifting themselves up by their own bootstraps.'"

It is futile to charge racism, whatever the race may be—for racism is self-defeating. If there is a Black Power movement then of course it will inspire a White Power to rise in self-defense. One sharp Negro leader observed that the Black Power designation was a misnomer; what his people really wanted, he said, was Green Power, money—and don't we all?

The real issue in the big-city slums is economic, not political—and the remedy lies in economic planning, not political shouting.

Automation came to the farms of America and displaced farm labor, both white and Negro, and hundreds of thousands moved to the big cities. Uneducated and unskilled they could not qualify for much of the employment that a big town has to offer—and now the financial problem of maintaining them on the public welfare rolls has reached proportions that frighten the world's richest nation.

The remedy is slow and tedious. Some can be helped by self-improvement programs in the slums where they now live, but others will have to be moved out of the slums and placed on subsistence farms where there's peace of mind if not a great deal of money. If Government is going to support slum-dwellers it obviously has the right to say where they shall live.

The remedy is rough—but so is the problem. And the problem was one we were warned about nearly 200 years ago. A quotation from Thomas Jefferson is going the rounds nowadays, but I was the one who had it researched at the Library of Congress and used it in speeches in Arkansas, Louisiana, and Texas as several years ago. You read it in this newspaper in the report of my speech before the Tyler (Texas) Rotary Club March 29, 1962.

In a letter to James Madison from Paris Dec. 20, 1787, Thomas Jefferson wrote:

"I think our governments (the States) will remain virtuous for many centuries as long as they are chiefly agricultural, and this will be as long as there shall be vacant lands in any part of America. When they get piled upon one another in large cities as in Europe, they will become corrupt as in Europe."

## Will File for Re-election

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — State Rep. Joel Y. Ledbetter, 57, of Little Rock says he will file today for re-election to his 11th term.

## Charged With Soliciting Bets

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Joseph Ralph Baker, 54, of near Little Rock was arrested Monday and charged with soliciting bets on horse races.

Baker was arrested in downtown Little Rock. He was released on \$100 bond. Authorities said Baker's arrest was the 43rd since the Oaklawn Park race meeting began Feb. 9.

## Raps Report on White Racism

By JACK MILLER  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Wilbur J. Cohen, nominated by President Johnson to be secretary of health, education and welfare, says the White House riot commission's report overemphasizes "white racism."

Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey has made a similar comment about the report. But the head of an administration anti-poverty program contended racism exists in and has been encouraged by the white churches of America.

Cohen told a news conference Monday: "I've thought a good deal about that term 'white racism'. It bothers me a good deal, because I think you could also say there is black racism and brown racism and red racism."

He said he doubts that the commission's use of the term "white racism" is helpful.

The National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders said in its report earlier this month that "white racism" was a basic factor in the riots that have torn the nation's big cities in recent summers.

Cohen said, "I wish some of the energy that has gone into rioting" had gone into efforts by the rioters for self-improvement.

William H. Crook, executive director of the Volunteers in Service to America—VISTA—told a Southern Baptist Convention group today the churches must react to the riot commission report by rooting out bigotry and racism in the churches themselves.

Crook, who was once a Baptist pastor in Texas, cited the report's contention that "white racism" is the basic problem.

"Now the church is where the action is, for there is racism in the church," he said. "It has a second opportunity to be relevant, if it will deal with its members in rooting out bigotry and racism."

"But the big question is, does the church have the courage to act, or will she seek escapism and act defensively?"

Crook also urged the churches to pay more attention to the problems of poverty, contending that in most cases "the church has failed to be relevant in the poverty issue."

Cohen, 54, who is slated to head the second largest government department, paused thoughtfully when asked about the riot commission report.

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GOLD STORAGE 76 feet below the busy streets of New York's financial district holds more than a quarter of all the official monetary gold of the free world. About \$13.4 billion worth is stored in 120 compartments held by more than 70 countries and watched constantly by "sitters." Sales occasion frequent transfers and gold is shifted bar by bar from one compartment to another.

## Congress Told Nation Cannot Afford Both Arms for War, Butter

WASHINGTON (AP) — A top Treasury official has told Congress the nation can't afford both guns and butter—to wage war in Vietnam while pressing ahead with domestic programs.

Undersecretary Joseph W. Barr's assessment before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee came Monday as President Johnson was telling a labor group: "We will do what must be done—we will do it both at home and we will do it wherever our brave men are called upon to stand."

Barr contended: "We are a great and powerful country and we can do a lot." But, he added, only "if we are willing to get down to the subsistence level like the Russians or someone else" can both war and domestic needs be fully met.

"I'll either get fired or impeached before I get out—and either one is not too bad, Barr said."

The promises of labor support came earlier at a legislative conference of several thousand AFL-CIO Building and Construction Trades delegates.

AFL-CIO President George Meany said the 14-million-member labor federation will support Johnson for re-election despite his Vietnam war policy critics.

"I don't think we're going to turn our back on a friend," Meany said. "Labor will discharge its obligations."

In other political developments: —The GOP moderates' National Coalition for a Republican Alternative said it has four potential presidential candidates: New York Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller, New York City Mayor John V. Lindsay, Sen. Charles McNamara.

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## 2 Accidents Investigated by Police

Two accidents were investigated yesterday by City Police. At the High School a parked car owned by Cora Evans rolled down a grade and hit another parked car owned by Joe W. Austin. Considerable damage resulted, Officer James Rowe reported.

At about 12:30 p.m. a car driven by Delores McBride ran into the back of another car driven by Mrs. W. Huddleston. The Huddleston vehicle had stopped. Delores McBride was charged with following too close by Officer James Rowe. There was considerable damage.

## Quits Because of Same Old War Policies

By ROBERT TUCKMAN  
Associated Press Writer  
SAIGON (AP) — A retired U.S. Army officer who spent more than four years in military and civilian posts in South Vietnam says he is quitting because, despite recent enemy successes, the United States is following "the same old policies."

Sidney J. Roche, a retired lieutenant colonel, said in a statement that he had hoped for "some change in policies" after the success of the Viet Cong Tet offensive.

"However," he said, "it appears that we are going to follow the same old road and pursue the same policies."

While in the Army, Roche was on the staff of Gen. William C. Westmoreland, U.S. military commander in Vietnam. Since leaving the service, he has been with the U.S. Agency for International Development (AID).

He was a field coordinator for the New Life (hamlet) Development program.

In his letter of resignation, Roche listed what he said were the primary reasons U.S. efforts, to end the war are being frustrated.

Among other factors, he blamed corruption in the South Vietnamese government, faulty U.S. military tactics, growing strength of the Communist party apparatus in South Vietnam, failure of the pacification program, failure of basic U.S. aid programs to meet the needs of Vietnam and failure to give adequate aid to 1.4 million South Vietnamese refugees.

"After more than four years involvement in Vietnam affairs," Roche said, "I am finally throwing in the towel."

## Local Case Reversed by High Court

Little Rock—The Arkansas Supreme Court yesterday reversed the Hempstead Chancery Court which voided a deed conveying 20 acres of land from Trennon Bobo to Ora Bobo.

The Arkansas Supreme Court said there was no evidence that the conveyance was fraudulent. It said the Bank had failed to show that Ora was Trennon's mother and that the lower court made an error when it refused to allow the Bank to reopen the case to offer that proof.

That proof might have made a prima facie case for the Bank, the Supreme Court said. Associate Justice Byrd dissented from part of the ruling.

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## Incentive Funds Ruled Illegal

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The attorney general's office said Monday that the state Welfare Department can not legally give the state Labor Department funds to operate work incentive programs for families on welfare until legislation is enacted.

The Labor Department is required to initiate work incentive programs for employable families receiving Aid to Dependent Children according to Welfare Commissioner Len E. Blaylock. He said the state Welfare Department must pay 20 per cent of the cost.

Blaylock said the program is supposed to go into effect July 1 but that implementation could be delayed until July 1, 1969 if prohibited by state law.

The Welfare Commission asked whether it could participate in the program without specific authority from the legislature.

Rodney Parham, deputy attorney general, said the disbursement of funds without specific appropriation is prohibited by the state constitution.

## Officers Say Strategy Change Would Leave Vietnam to Viet Cong

By BOB HORTON  
AP Military Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Both the retiring Army chief of staff and the new Marine commandant say they oppose any change of U.S. strategy which would leave South Vietnam's countryside to the Viet Cong.

These views have emerged at a time of rising speculation that Gen. William C. Westmoreland's impending removal as commander in Vietnam means a basic switch in military policy is being considered.

Generally the speculation has been that the United States might benefit by abandoning Westmoreland's "search-and-destroy" operations or giving up such remote outposts as Khe Sanh.

Gen. Harold K. Johnson, whom Westmoreland will replace as Army chief of staff by July 2, said a U.S. fallback to defense of only select, high-population areas would give the Viet Cong "a license to hunt when and where they choose."

Marine Gen. Leonard F. Chapman said: "I certainly

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## Pole Regime Fires Seven in Purge

By MARTIN ZUCKER  
Associated Press Writer  
WARSAW, Poland (AP) — The Polish Communist regime fired seven intellectuals Monday in the biggest stroke of a purge following recent student demonstrations and street rioting.

The government ousted six teachers at Warsaw University on charges of implanting in their students political views contrary to the state's, the official news agency PAP reported.

There was no explanation for the ouster of the seventh intellectual, but he has been under fire for some time because of unorthodox Marxist views.

The regime now has ousted 12 persons, most of them Jews, since disturbances began on March 8, growing out of student unrest over the closing of a play which had some lines construed by censors as anti-Soviet.

The students have charged police brutality, accused the official press of lying and demanding more freedom. No new demonstrations have been reported since three Warsaw sit-ins ended Saturday.

The latest move was further evidence of the government's intention to root out so-called "reactionary elements, Zionists and demagogues" whom it accuses of starting the trouble.

## All Around Town

By The Star Staff

Frederic Taylor of Victoria (Mississippi County), a native of Hope, has conceived the idea of employing computers to process tax bills and handle tax books. . . he first proposed the use of computers for this work last year, and after careful study, county officials have learned the system would be cheaper, faster, and easier than the one now used. . . this would be the first such computer in the entire Mid-South that would incorporate all of the latest scientific and technological advances. . . Taylor is the son of Mrs. Henry (Hattie) Taylor now of Osceola. . . a feature article about the proposed computer system appeared in the Blytheville Courier News last week under the by-line of another Hope native, Webb Laseter, III.

Myrtle Cox Swope, a sophomore at Jefferson College in Hillsboro, Mo., has been named to the 1967 Fall Semester Dean's List . . . for this achievement a student must have a grade point average of 3.20 or above . . . also, she was recently initiated into Phi Theta Kappa, national honor fraternity. . . she is the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Charles Merlin Cox of Hope.

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## Cong Attack Repelled, 243 Killed

By GEORGE ESPER  
Associated Press Writer  
SAIGON (AP) — Nearly 1,000 North Vietnamese troops, armed with flame-throwers and rocket-propelled grenades, attacked an American artillery base in the central highlands of South Vietnam today.

The attack touched off the heaviest fighting on that critical front in four months.

The U.S. military command said 121 enemy soldiers had been killed so far in the battle. U.S. casualties were not immediately disclosed.

Near Saigon, allied forces pushed through rice paddies and hedgerows pursuing a battered Viet Cong force that broke off a sharp 24-hour battle shortly before dawn. The Viet Cong death toll was put at 284.

The U.S. Command said 10 U.S. soldiers were killed and 71 wounded in the fighting. South Vietnamese casualties were described as light.

The attack in the central highlands was launched under the cover of darkness by two or three North Vietnamese battalions against an artillery support base of the U.S. 4th Infantry Division 19 miles west of Kontum City.

Headquarters said the North Vietnamese troops, operating only 20 miles from their Cambodian border sanctuary, stormed the 500 American defenders and drove through a portion of the perimeter.

Four hours later, headquarters said, U.S. infantrymen had pushed the enemy troops back and restored their defense line.

The North Vietnamese began withdrawing toward Cambodia as dawn broke and American reinforcements poured in. Air cavalrymen made a helicopter assault into the battle zone in an attempt to block the enemy's withdrawal.

Tactical fighter-bombers and 155mm howitzers pounded the North Vietnamese.

It was the heaviest fighting in the central highlands since last November's 21-day battle for Dak To, 25 miles north of Kontum. Kontum City was hard hit by enemy troops during the Viet Cong lunar offensive Jan. 30. U.S. 4th Division infantrymen went into the city to clear it out.

According to intelligence reports, four North Vietnamese regiments—about 12,000 troops—threaten the Kontum City-Dak To area.

The heavy fighting near Saigon was touched off before dawn Monday when the Viet Cong attacked two South Vietnamese outposts 28 miles northwest of the capital and infiltrated the marketplace of a district town called Trang Bang and a nearby hamlet. One outpost protecting the district town was overrun. The second held.

The Viet Cong also tried to block allied relief forces from two sides, attacking U.S. armored columns to the northwest and the northeast en route to reinforce the beleaguered town.

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## Livestock Marketing Survey Meet

Southwest Arkansas farm leaders will launch a livestock marketing survey March 26 in a meeting at Hope, it will begin at 8 p.m. at Diamond Cafe.

The session will be one of 11 during the week arranged by Arkansas Farm Bureau Federation, Livestockmen, county Farm Bureau representatives and Agricultural Extension Service officials will attend.

According to Waldo Frasier of Little Rock, state Farm Bureau executive vice president, participants will discuss strong points and weaknesses in the existing market system.

They will in turn survey a sizable sample of livestock producers in their counties, with the findings contributing to a broad-scale study by Arkansas Farm Bureau, the Agricultural Extension Service and American Farm Bureau Federation.





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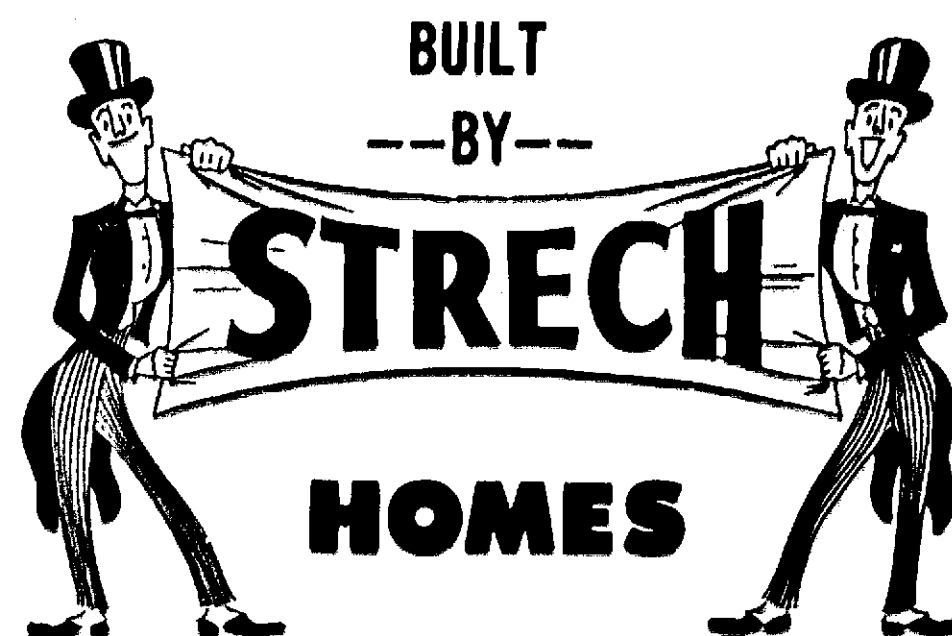
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# "Blue Star Home" Open House Starts Wednesday

## Kennedy Has Spent a Week Campaigning

By JOSEPH E. MOHAT  
Associated Press Writer

He sits at the back of the bus that roars through the night along a highway in upstate New York, and he sings softly, lazily, off-key to a tune strummed by a young guitarist.

Key figures in the state's strife-ridden Democratic party are less alone in other seats as Robert Francis Kennedy rolls up his shirt sleeves and relaxes. He bites the tip from a long, tapered cigar and fills the back of the overheated bus with its pungent aroma.

"Do you know 'We Shall Overcome'?" he asks. "Or is that passe?"

The young guitarist doesn't know it, but he tries, and Kennedy, at the end of a dreary night in the first week of his campaign for the Democratic nomination, sings softly.

Now and then, a party pol breaks off from his conference with a Kennedy aide and, turning in his seat, stares blankly at the man idling in the back of the bus.

The South Boston Irish crowd turns out under gray wet skies to yell and laugh and wave. The Kennedy brothers, Bobby and Teddy, are marching in the St. Patrick's Day Parade.

They smile and wave at the faces but as they march they talk in terse undertones about the challenge.

"I think we can do it if we make the big pull," Robert earnestly tells Edward, who looks dubious.

Behind them, a red-faced party functionary mutters to a hurrying assistant: "Where the hell is the little girl with the flowers?"

"Don't worry," says the other. "Next corner."

And—poof!—with apparent charming spontaneity, a pretty, shyly smiling child materializes from the sidelines and hands

Bobby Kennedy a bouquet of green carnations.

He says "Thank you very much," still walking, and the cameras record the scene and he hands the bouquet to someone and it is never seen again.

The candidate is crushed by the crowd. The smile is fixed on his face, and he is seemingly unconcerned about the physical danger.

But his aides are sweating and nervous and gasping for

breath and they form a tight ring around him and push him through the crowd.

The people slap him on the head and pull his hair and touch his coat and scream his name and yell for autographs although he can barely lift his arm.

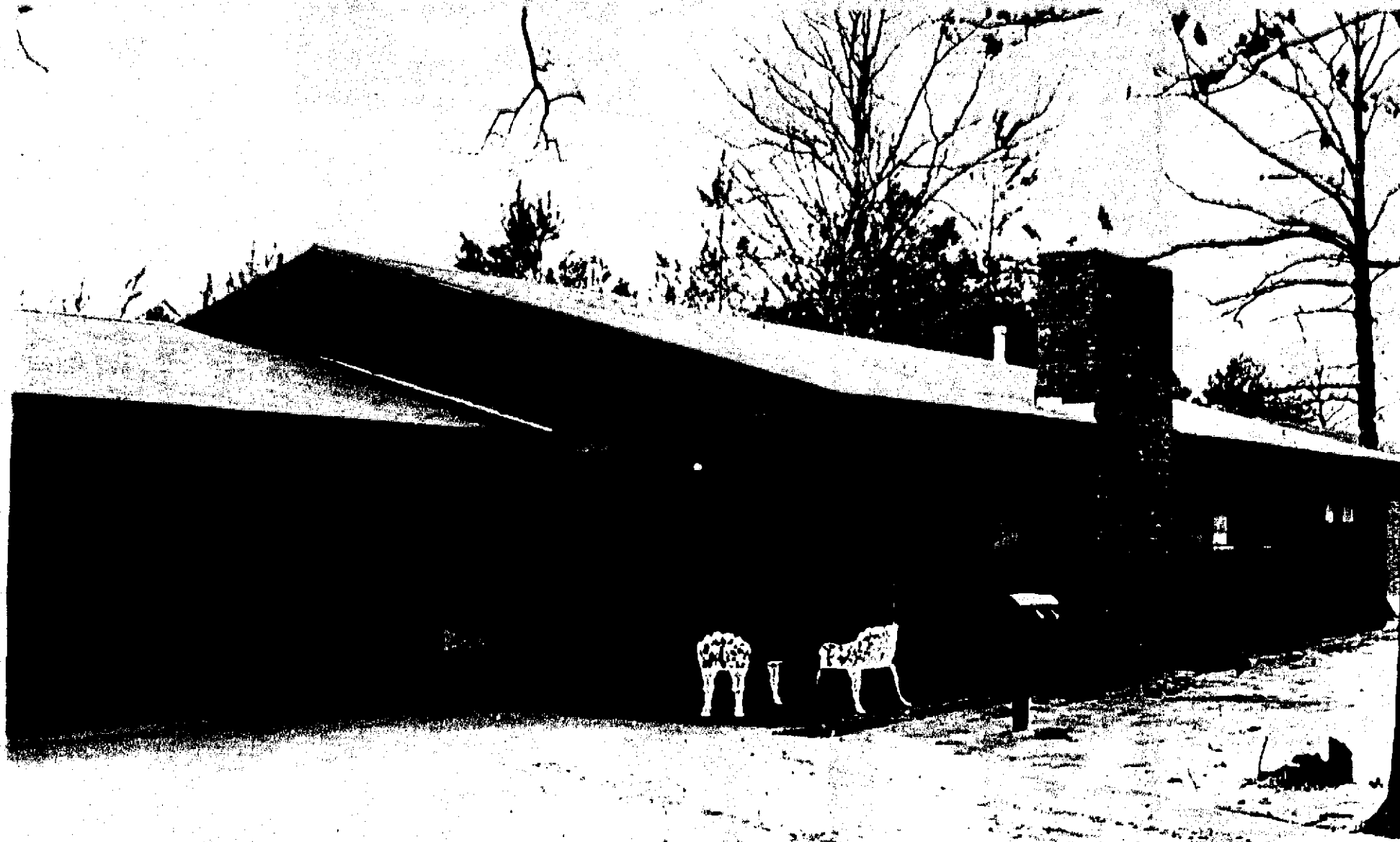
His hair tousled into a mop, his expensive suit rumpled, his shirtsleeves stained by sweat, he climbs atop the back seat of an open car and waves to the throngs pressing about him. He

says, very softly amidst the din, "Hello. How are you? Thank you." And the people squeal and run along side and jump up and down.

His California campaign manager, Assembly Speaker Jesse M. Unruh, tells him, "You know, this is better than President Kennedy got in California at the end of the 1960 campaign."

"Yes," says Robert Kennedy, waving and smiling.

## Covered Patio View of the New Hacienda Home



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8 Ft. by 14 Ft. - Covered patio area with view of oversized garage, adjoining Bar-B-Que area. Sliding glass patio doors leading into living area. Large concrete patio-drive area covers more than one thousand square feet.

## LBJ WINS (From Page 1)

H. Percy of Illinois and Sen. Mark O. Hatfield of Oregon.

All four are noncandidates at this point but coalition organizer Duff Reed, an aide to Sen. Thurston B. Morton of Kentucky, called them the "invisible quartet."

—Sen. Eugene J. McCarthy told a crowd of more than 15,000 at Madison, Wis., his Democratic presidential candidacy is no longer simply a protest against President Johnson's policies.

"We are seeking the presidency of the United States," McCarthy said and hundreds stood and cheered.

—Republican candidate Richard M. Nixon mapped strategy with staff members and friends in New York and plans to continue his Wisconsin primary campaign Wednesday. The primary vote comes a week from today.

—Sen. Robert F. Kennedy carried his Democratic presidential campaign into the Pacific Northwest after a stop in Los Angeles' Watts area where he was cheered by thousands of Negroes.

Meany sharply criticized presidential candidates campaigning against Johnson's Vietnam policies.

"Of course they are going to focus on the war that nobody wants," Meany said. He urged Americans "to let Hanoi know they can't win at the ballot box in this country what they can't win in Asia."

Johnson defended his "Great Society" programs at the labor convention and the farm program he sent to Congress last month at the farm conference.

"We did make progress," Johnson told the labor group, in helping millions of Americans rise from poverty, providing medical care for the elderly and bringing better jobs at higher pay for workers.

"These are the mighty foundations that we have put into place," he said, "and we are not going to sit by and let them be torn down in a partisan, political election year."

"I'm not saying you never had it so good," the President said, "but that is a fact, isn't it?"

## Movers Want to Up Rates

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The state Commerce Commission said Monday 45 household goods movers in the state are asking for sizable rate increases.

The moving van operators last received increases June 15, 1964 and a preliminary check indicated the raises would range from 5 1/2 per cent to 40 per cent from the 1964 rates.

Preliminary figures indicated that the raises would range from 18 per cent to 75 per cent above the rates prior to the 1964 increase.

## Protestant Unit Moving Ahead Fast

By GEORGE CORNELL  
AP Religion Writer

DAYTON, Ohio (AP) — Church leaders see signs that unity among Protestants is moving ahead of formal church authorization for it.

"While we're talking about it, it's happening," one theologian remarked.

The point was brought out repeatedly at the Consultation on Church Union today sought to map procedures for merging 10 American Protestant denominations with a total of 25.5-million members into a single church.

Declaring that time has run out for long-term, gradual steps in the face of the swift changes, the Rev. Dr. George Johnston, dean of United Theological College, Montreal, told the meeting: "The time for union was the day before yesterday."

The Rev. Dr. James I. McCord, president of Princeton Theological Seminary, sounded a similar note, citing the rise of a "radical, practical Christianity" in which various believers spurned church divisions to join in united action.

"We stand at a crucial juncture not in the sense of whether we go on or not, but in the sense of whether we can be creative enough to reflect what is already happening in Christianity today," he said.

A study report presented here also described widespread and increasing interdenominational operations in many matters, at national as well as local levels, despite the continued official separation of the churches.

"The preservation of denominational identity in all situations is no longer taken for granted

as normal," the report said.

The consultation's seventh annual meeting opened Monday, involving delegations from the participating denominations as well as observers from about 20 other churches, including Roman Catholicism.

Participants already have agreed on principles of faith and order, allowing wide diversity in worship forms, but now are trying to work out the mechanics of linking up their different organizational structures.

A panel of lawyers, headed by Oliver Schroeder of Cleveland's Western Reserve University, said there are no legal barriers to the project.

He said that in any pioneering venture, deed must precede the technical legalism and added: "What we're doing in outer space is not yet legally defined, but if we had waited until it was we'd still be on the launching pad."

Churches involved in the consultation are Methodist, Episcopal, United Presbyterian, Presbyterian U.S., Disciples, United Church of Christ, Evangelical United Brethren, African Methodist Episcopal, African Methodist Episcopal Zion and Christian Methodist Episcopal.

## Three Shots, No Driving

WASHINGTON (AP) — A Washington traffic official downed three double shots of Scotch, blew into a British-made gadget to test sobriety and decided not to drive home.

George Hammond, chairman of the District of Columbia Citizens Traffic Board, drank the whisky and blew into the device Monday as part of an experiment.

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